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Nazis Lose 1,500 Men in Big Battle

Bring Up Fresh Reserves in Fight For Kharkov--Evacuate Vyazma

LONDON, March 12 (AP).—The German radio, in a broadcast heard by Reuter's today, said German troops had evacuated the Nazi base at Vyazma on the Central Russian Front last night.

The city has been in German hands since October 14, 1941, and was one of the strongpoints of the Rzhev-Vyazma-Velikie Luki triangle.

Vyazma is 130 miles west of Moscow and 100 miles east of the German stronghold of Smolensk, principal objective of the Soviet drive on the Central Front.

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—Outnumbered Russian troops killed 1,200 Germans and destroyed thirty-six tanks today in the violently unfolding third battle for Kharkov, but a midnight Moscow bulletin spoke ominously of an "unequal engagement" and said "the Germans are bringing up more fresh reserves."

The German High Command said its counter-attacking army, estimated by Moscow to number 375,000 men in the Kharkov-Donets area, had reached the northern and western edges of the key Ukraine stronghold, which the Nazis lost February 16.

"West of Kharkov," said the Moscow communique recorded by the Soviet monitor, "our troops repulsed violent attacks of the enemy. The Germans are bringing up more fresh reserves."

"The Germans are trying at all costs to break through to the city."

In one "unequal engagement" the Red Army destroyed ten of the fifteen attacking enemy tanks and killed 100 Germans; in another sector a Soviet formation wiped out 700 Germans and destroyed eleven tanks, four self-propelled guns and twenty trucks, the communique added.

WAVE AFTER WAVE OF GERMANS

Four hundred Germans were killed and fifteen tanks destroyed south of Kharkov, the midday bulletin announced, as wave after wave of Nazis beat against the Russian lines in an attempt to retake the key stronghold which fell to the Red Army last month after a sensational

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Heavy Raid Costly for Japanese

Fourteen Planes Are Shot Down

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, March 12 (Friday), (CP).—Forty Japanese planes raided Oro Bay, south of Buna in New Guinea, and fourteen were shot out of action, the Allied High Command announced today.

This was the third heavy aerial action by the Japanese disclosed in communiques this week.

Earlier in the week, Japanese planes sank a small Allied merchant vessel in Oro Bay. They followed that up by sending forty-seven planes over the Allied base at Wau, New Guinea, in a raid which Allied Headquarters reported without putting forth any claim of intercepting the enemy or putting any of his planes out of action.

Two Japanese planes raided Wau again, today's communique announced, "causing neither damage nor casualties." In the previous raid slight damage and casualties had been reported.

Of the new raid on Oro Bay, the communique reported:

"Twenty-four enemy bombers, escorted by sixteen fighters, attacked during the morning. Our fighters intercepted and quickly dispersed the hostile formation, shooting twelve enemy fighters and two bombers out of action. Our losses were light."

Allied planes also were active, but on a somewhat limited scale.

Big bombers raided the Lakunai airdrome at Rabaul, New Britain, but heavy clouds prevented observation of the results.

A single bomber destroyed warehouses and supply dumps at Finschhafen, New Guinea, which is north of the Lae-Salamaua-Wau area. In that latter area, Allied attack planes visited the Mubo vicinity on a strafing sweep.

Plan Final Attempt to Beat Russia

Building Line Of Defences

ANKARA, Turkey, March 11 (CP).—A traveler just arrived in Turkey from Germany said the Germans are feverishly preparing a 1943 offensive against Russia in which they plan to use 3,000,000 to 4,000,000 men in a final great attempt to conquer the Soviet.

This traveler said the Germans' principal aim would be to destroy Russian military strength rather than try for vital Russian strongholds and economic resources as last year.

It was reported in reliable quarters that Germans in Turkey are being called home for military service.

A well-informed Balkan source said the Germans are building a quadruple depth line of anti-tank defences between Grecian Thrace and Macedonia against Allied invasion.

The line is said to extend from Edeagatch and the Aegean Sea near Turkey, northwest to Portolago in Macedonia, where it may link up with another line of defences westward.

It was also reported that all aircraft have disappeared during the last ten days from the formerly well-supplied Greek airfields of Tatoi near Athens and Sedes near Salonika.

Nearly 300 planes were said to have left the Tatoi airport in the direction of Africa.

More Than Third Of Fund Raised

TORONTO, March 11 (CP).—More than one-third of the national objective of $10,000,000 in the Canadian Red Cross campaign has been collected in the first nine days of the drive which started March 1, officials of the society's headquarters in Toronto announced today.

Figures released by the Red Cross show returns up to today of $3,695,535, compared to $4,406,817 for the same period in the 1942 campaign.

Standing of the provinces are: Ontario, $1,753,082; Quebec, $1,056,265; Prince Edward Island, $50,000; Nova Scotia, $103,508; New Brunswick, $41,932; Manitoba, $149,421; Saskatchewan, $95,000; Alberta, $98,000, and British Columbia, $348,177.

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More Rationing Ordered in U.S.

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—Rationing of meat, butter, cheese, canned fish and edible oils was ordered tonight effective "on or before April 1." In other rationing changes, the coffee allowance was increased and the cost in points of dried prunes, raisins, beans, peas and lentils was reduced.

Food Administrator Wickard estimated the amount of meat available would average "in the neighborhood of two pounds, more or less," per week per person. Customers will not have to surrender coupons for meat eaten in restaurants.

Details of this programme will be announced tomorrow by the Office of Price Administration. It was indicated, however, that meat, cheese, butter, canned fish and the edible oils would be all lumped together as one group of foods.

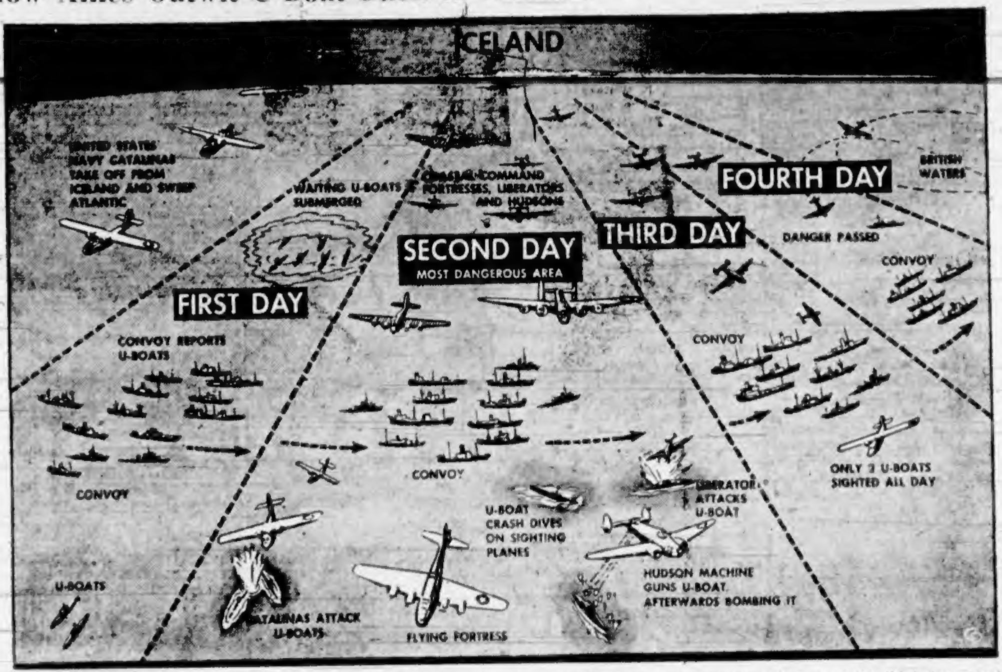
This would mean that some persons could purchase more than two pounds of meat by holding down on butter purchases, for instance. Point allowances are expected to be large enough to permit purchase of two pounds of meat a week plus some of all the other foods.

O.P.A. ordered the point cost of prunes and raisins reduced from twenty to twelve per pound and halved the point values of dry beans, peas and lentils, cutting them from eight to four points a pound. It also removed dates and figs from the list of rationed foods—unless they are in cans or sealed jars.

Freighter Sunk

BUENOS AIRES, March 11 (AP).—The sinking of the United States freighter Staghound by three torpedoes in the South Atlantic and the rescue of fifty-nine crewmen and twenty-five members of the armed forces were disclosed tonight in an Argentine Foreign Office announcement. The Argentine Embassy in Brazil informed the Foreign Office that the Argentine freighter Rio Colorado had picked up the eighty-four men and landed them at Rio de Janeiro, March 8.

How Allies Outwit U-Boat Pack in Atlantic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COASTAL COMMAND FORTRESSES, LIBERATORS AND HUDSONS
FOURTH DAY
BRITISH WATERS
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MOST DANGEROUS AREA
THIRD DAY
DANGER PASSED
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CONVOY REPORTS U-BOATS
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LIBERATOR ATTACKS U-BOAT
ONLY 2 U-BOATS SIGHTED ALL DAY
U-BOAT CRASH DIVES ON SIGHTING PLANES
HUDSON MACHINE GUNS U-BOAT AFTERWARDS BOMBING IT
U-BOATS
CATALINAS ATTACK U-BOATS
FLYING FORTRESS

THE above chart illustrates the graphic report from the log of a convoy escort as Allied air arms outwit Nazi U-boats in Torpedo Lane. With the afternoon of the first day several U-boats appeared, only to be frightened off by Iceland-based Catalinas. The convoy was entering Torpedo Lane. On the second and crucial day of the gauntlet, American air patrols were augmented by long-range bombers from Britain. Nazi U-boats were increasing in number, reinforcements from German bases. Two submarines partly surfaced. Catalinas dumped their bombs. That afternoon a U-Boat crash-dived, evading a Liberator. Shortly after, the same plane spotted another sub, immediately attacked. With all guns blazing, a Hudson dived into battle. Its salvo of bombs was followed by the telltale oil slick. A Fortress spotted a pair of U-boats, attacked one, drove the other off. In the evening, two Catalinas each found a target. Throughout the third day sweeping air support was in effect. Only two U-boats threatened. A Hudson went after one; the other crash-dived. With the dawn of the fourth day, Torpedo Lane had been negotiated. Within twenty-four hours, with minor losses, the convoy was unloading in a British port.

French Guerrillas Issue Communiques Telling of Casualties Inflicted

Reducing Their Armies in West Alone Gave Nazis Success

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—The Moscow radio beamed a broadcast to the United States tonight saying that German successes in the Donets Basin were possible "only because half of the army employed consisted of fresh divisions brought up from the West."

The broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Division, was interpreted as an implied plea for the opening of a second front against the denuded defences of Western Europe.

Four tank and seven infantry divisions were said to have been drawn from France, Belgium, Norway and Germany itself.

"Thirty-one divisions were sent up between November, 1942, and the end of January, 1943," the speaker said. "The process is still going on . . . Now in preparing his counter-offensive, Hitler again drew upon the reserves from the very same force further reducing his armies in Western Europe."

Hundreds Killed In Troop Train

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—French guerrillas announced in bold, unprecedented communiques from inside France today that they had killed more than 250 Germans, wounded hundreds of others by blasting a troop train at Chagny-sur-Saône and had carried out 300 attacks during the month ended January 20.

Gen. Charles De Gaulle's Fighting French headquarters issued the announcements as received from "general headquarters of French guerrillas and partisans somewhere in France."

The Swiss radio said French patriots attacked German forces in Paris twice today.

Two patriots were reported killed when a grenade they planned to toss at a passing German patrol exploded prematurely. A bomb was reported thrown later at a group of sailors who escaped uninjured. Three passers-by were said to have been "victims."

The marked upturn in violence against the occupation forces was declared by De Gaulle supporters to have been "inflamed by mass deportation of young Frenchmen" to German war factories.

COMMUNIQUE ON TRAIN WRECK

A special communique told of the train wreck:

"The Raynals detachment operating in the region of Chalons has blasted off the rails at Chagny-sur-Saone a train full of German troops traveling eastward.

"The operation was carried out at a well-chosen spot when the train was going at top speed. More than 250 Germans were killed and hundreds were wounded.

"Two other trains were wrecked in the Côte d'Or. The first, carrying war material, was completely destroyed. The second was carrying

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BULLETINS

BALLOON CAUSES DAMAGE

FALL CITY, Wash., March 11 (AP).—A runaway barrage balloon threw half of this community into darkness tonight. It struck power lines and knocked over a utility pole.

MORGAN WORSE

BOCA GRANDE, Fla., March 11 (AP).—The condition of J. P. Morgan, seventy-five, multi-millionaire financier, who has been seriously ill here for more than a week, took a turn for the worse today and grave fears were expressed by his close associates. Morgan had apparently rallied from one crisis and for two successive days attending physicians had reported steady improvement.

Extends Life Of Lend-Lease

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—President Roosevelt capped a celebration of lend-lease's second anniversary today by signing into law a bill extending its life for one year.

With a view to making the most of the momentous law's anniversary, the Senate had rushed the measure through by an 82 to 0 vote only twenty-four hours after the House approved it 407 to 6.

The anniversary brought a declaration from Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Ambassador, that the Russian people are fully aware and deeply appreciative of lend-lease aid.

A report to Congress by Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., said aid extended by the United States under the act aggregated $9,632,000 in its first two years and is rapidly expanding. The administrator also reported that aid received by the United States has reached "substantial proportions" and will continue to grow as more American troops go overseas.

Death for Ace Nazi Saboteur in Africa

PRETORIA, Union of South Africa, March 11 (AP).—One of Hitler's ace saboteurs, Sydney Robey Leibrandt, a former South African policeman and Olympic boxer, who became a lance-corporal in the German Parachutist Corps and eventually was landed by U-boat for destructive purposes in this country, was convicted of high treason today and sentenced to death.

Two others convicted with him, after a trial lasting six and one-half months in Communal Court, were sentenced to five years in prison each, and four more defendants were acquitted.

Victoria Man Tells of Two Sea Rescues

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Stoker Petty Officer Lloyd Silver, of Victoria, twenty-four, member of the Royal Canadian Navy, told in an interview with a navy public relations officer at an Eastern Canadian port, made public today, how his ship rescued survivors from two torpedoed merchant ships during his last voyage in the North Atlantic.

P.O. Silver's wife lives at 2808 Rock Bay Avenue, Victoria.

The sailor said: "When we reached our destination we found two merchant ships which had been attacked by a German submarine. One was almost under and the other was slowly sinking.

"The first ship to be attacked went down in a few minutes, but the other remained afloat for nearly two hours before a second torpedo sunk her.

"The captain of the second ship ordered the lifeboats filled and lowered halfway over the side just above the water line as it seemed possible the ship might stay afloat.

"But that ended in disaster," P.O. Silver added. "The submarine manoeuvred around to the side the lifeboats were hanging from and let go with a big fish. The torpedo hit amidships just under one of the lifeboats and blew the lifeboat to bits.

"There were about forty people in that boat. Three were hauled out of the water alive."

The crew of Silver's ship picked up the survivors, consisting of men and women of all ages.

Sends Donation From Prison Camp

MONTREAL, March 11 (CP).—The Canadian Red Cross received a $1,000 donation to their current campaign for funds today, from a Japanese prison camp.

The donation came from Major A. C. M. Thomson, M.C., of the Quebec Royal Rifles, who became a prisoner of war when Hongkong fell.

PREMIER'S BROTHER HELD

LONDON, March 12 (Friday) (CP).—The Daily Express reported today in an Istanbul dispatch that Chichibu Tojo, brother of the Japanese premier, has been under house arrest for fifteen months. The Express said Chichibu had been held since the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, despite protests by the Emperor, on charges of being "sympathetic to enemy powers." The newspaper said this information just reached Istanbul from Tokio.

Will Broadcast From N. Africa

LONDON, March 11 (AP).—General Henri Giraud will broadcast an address described as "very important" from North Africa, Sunday, it was learned in London tonight.

There was no indication of the subject of the broadcast scheduled for 6 p.m. British time (10 a.m., P.D.T.).

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—Archbishop Francis J. Spellman, of New York, will make a special broadcast from North Africa over the C.B.S. Network next Sunday from 6 to 6.15 a.m., P.D.T., C.B.S. announced tonight. The subject was not announced.

Children Burn

MERRILLE, Mich., March 11 (AP).—Four children of Mr. and Mrs. John Quiroz were burned to death early today in a fire which destroyed their four-room frame home. They were Rudolph, six; Betty, four; Helena, two, and John, Jr., seven months.

CARDINAL'S CONDITION GRAVE

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—Condition of Arthur Cardinal Hinsley, head of the Roman Catholic Church in Britain, was reported very grave tonight. Oxygen was administered during the day.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, March 11.—A new battle for Kharkov has now to be fought by the Red Army. The Nazis have accumulated troops on the Donets front in such numbers that they have compelled the Russians to give up the big area recently taken, and retreat to the river line, where they are holding fast.

Russian operations have been greatly hampered by mud due to thaw. They have big reserves in the rear but have not yet been able to use them. On the other hand Nazis have been able to bring twelve fresh divisions from Western Europe.

The Times' military correspondent says the German advance is due to the fact they could mass superior numbers at a decisive point. This forced the Russians to withdraw across the Donets. But the Nazis lost heavily, and unless they recover Kharkov their losses will have been in vain.

A grim battle for Kharkov lies ahead. Once again the Red Army will show its ability to fight defensively despite the all-pervading mud.

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Along the entire front north of Kharkov, Soviet commanders hold the initiative. Their troops are now only twenty-five miles from Vyazma, last of the great German bases on the central front. On the northern front the Germans are using Finnish airdromes for air attacks on Leningrad. Very heavy fighting is proceeding south of Lake Ilmen, says The Times Moscow correspondent. Here Marshal Timoshenko is gradually edging the enemy westward.

Knowledge that twelve fresh German divisions from Western Europe have been brought to the Kharkov front, adds the correspondent, is likely to sharpen Russian anxieties about Allied intervention on the Continent. It creates an atmosphere in which criticism of the internal affairs of the Soviet Union, such as those uttered by the United States Ambassador, are more than ever likely to provoke unfavorable reactions.

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However, the greatest prominence is now given in the Moscow press to the Royal Air Force's mighty blows at the German armament centres, especially Nuremberg, which The Times' Stockholm correspondent describes as "devastated."

The raid on Munich was on as big a scale as the biggest German raid on London, despite the fact British bombers had to fly 1,400 miles out and back. The Germans now seem to have concentrated more fighters in Southern Germany than ever before. In Munich it is likely the Nazi headquarters was hit, and perhaps even the infamous torture centre

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Kenney at Washington

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—Lt.-Gen. George C. Kenney, Nova Scotia-born commander of the Allied air forces in the Southwest Pacific, has arrived in Washington at the head of a mission of seven officers serving under Gen. Douglas MacArthur. Also in the mission, which flew here from New Guinea, is Maj.-Gen. Richard K. Sutherland, MacArthur's chief of staff.

British Take Heavy Toll as Nazi Troops Attack in N. Africa

Rommel's Newest Attempt to Push Back Allied Ring Fails

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NORTH AFRICA, March 11 (AP).—The British Eighth Army threatening to turn the southern flank of Marshal Rommel's Mareth Line in Tunisia has inflicted "heavy casualties" on attacking Axis troops, and the fight is continuing amid the wreckage of many enemy vehicles, a supplementary Allied communique said tonight.

This was another Rommel attempt to push back an Allied ring gradually squeezing him into a pocket, and it appeared to have been no more successful than the smashes against Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's forces last week-end when the Axis lost fifty-two tanks.

"In attacks on our forces near Ksar Rhilane heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy and many vehicles were left burning," the communique said. "The R.A.F. gave very effective support during the day and fighting continues."

ATTACK AFTER BRITISH PUSH

Ksar Rhilane is forty-five miles west of Foum Tatahouine, and the Axis attack came after British forces had pushed along a caravan trail which winds northwestward to Kebili, Axis base on the eastern side of the salt lake, Chott Djerid.

Although the battle was continuing it was believed to be a small one, coinciding in character with the thrust by Col.-Gen. Jurgen von Arnim's forces in Northern Tunisia at Sedjenane. That attack also was repulsed by Allied troops.

The German commanders apparently were trying to check an ever-tightening noose of men, tanks, and guns being thrown around them by British and American contingents in the north and the Eighth Army in the south.

While the land forces prepared for showdown battles, the Allied air force struck a series of damaging blows. United States heavy bombers escorted by fighters shot down eight Axis fighters during raids on two airdromes near Tunis, and were reported to have damaged thirteen other planes parked on the fields.

Spitfires shot up Axis vehicles and positions the whole length of Tunisia, and medium bombers also blasted Gafsa which now is being threatened by French ground forces closing in from Metlaoui, twenty-two miles to the southwest.

Cairo reported Allied fighter-bombers left a dozen vehicles aflame and shot down five Axis planes in

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Concede Defences Inadequate

Big British Bombers Blast Again at Foe

BERNE, March 11 (AP).—The Nazi press and radio are raising loud cries over the destruction inflicted by Allied bombers in their recent heavy air attacks on Germany's big cities, publicizing the losses of churches, schools, art galleries and other cultural objects.

Tonight's Berlin dispatches to Swiss newspapers admitted the raids demonstrated a great power reserve that could not be stemmed by German defences.

Meanwhile, the Berlin radio reported the famous Bavarian State Library at Munich, the birthplace of Nazism, is threatened with destruction by a fire still raging out of control as a result of the R.A.F.'s attack on the city Tuesday night.

"Within the first ten days of March, large cities in the Reich suffered losses amounting to millions of marks and much unreplaceable art was destroyed," said the Berlin correspondent of The Zuerichs Die Tat.

The only photograph released to the Swiss press, showing the damage done in the Berlin raid, pictured the wrecked Saint Hedwig Cathedral.

Of the 2,000,000 volumes in the library at Munich, about 250,000 are already looked upon as lost, claimed the Berlin radio in a broadcast recorded by The Associated Press. Thousands of manuscripts and a large number of valuable Bibles also were listed as lost.

The radio added that the interior of the Frauenkirche Church at Munich was burned out and that several other churches were badly damaged.

HEAVY BOMBERS IN NEW RAID

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—A force of heavy bombers, so large that it took almost an hour to cross the English Channel, headed from Britain tonight along the same route as those which earlier this week pounded Nuremberg and Munich in Germany.

The sky was overcast in the Strait of Dover and the planes flew above clouds which obscured the moon.

Their return about 2:30 a.m. co-

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To Retire as President of Conservatives

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—On the eve of the first meeting since the Winnipeg convention, John R. MacNicol, veteran president of the Dominion Conservative Association, announced tonight he is retiring from that office.

The association, now tentatively known as the Dominion Progressive Conservative Association, opens its meeting tomorrow night and Mr. MacNicol was busy today making arrangements for it.

Approximately 200 members from all across Canada have indicated they will be present at the gathering, which is expected to make a formal start on the organization of the party under the leadership of John Bracken.

A full slate of fifteen or twenty officers will be elected and, as the Winnipeg convention clothed the association with wide powers, it is expected the incoming officers will greatly extend the activities of the association.

NO SABOTAGE

SEATTLE, March 11 (AP).—Investigation of a series of brush fires along a railroad right-of-way near Auburn failed to support suspicions of sabotage, F.B.I. Agent T. E. Naughten reported tonight. The F.B.I. entered the case today after railway special agents sought aid in curbing the recent outbreak of fires.

No Longer Lack of War Materials

Board Chairmen Are Reassuring

WASHINGTON, March 11 (CP).—The war could go on indefinitely and the industrial machines of the United Nations would not slow up for want of raw materials, it was stated here today by William Batt and Sir Clive Baillieu, joint chairmen of the Combined Raw Materials Board.

Materials such as chrome, tin, tungsten, manganese and copper, which were in extremely short supply a year ago, are available in sufficient quantities to meet all demands of war industry among the United Nations. The supply of steel is almost as comfortable.

At a joint press conference, the two chairmen, Batt representing the United States and Canada on the board, and Baillieu Britain and the rest of the British Commonwealth, said the raw materials problem had been licked by increasing production and by rigidly conserving consumption.

As an illustration, China once provided most of the world's supply of tungsten, but, with China shut off by war in the Pacific the deficiency has been made up by increased production in the United States, Canada, Africa and other countries.

Although the supply of raw materials is sufficient for all anticipated needs of the United Nations, there are many problems of transportation allocation and delivery that require constant attention.

Named to Probe East Sinkings

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Capt. L. J. Gauvreau, of Quebec, has been named by Navy Minister Macdonald to represent the navy if Onesime Gagnon, of Quebec, agrees to the minister's suggestion of a three-man committee to ascertain how many merchant ships were sunk in the St. Lawrence area last Summer.

This was disclosed today in telegrams exchanged between Mr. Macdonald and Mr. Gagnon following the latter's statement that upward of thirty ships were sunk. Mr. Macdonald said the number was twenty. Mr. Gagnon, Union Nationale member of the Quebec Legislature for Matane, made his statement in the Quebec House.

Purchase Irregularities Will Be Guarded Against

Premier Hopes Auditors' Recommendations Will Help Overcome Previous Defects

WHEN recommendations being brought in by independent auditors are adopted in the Provincial Purchasing Department the Government will have done everything possible to guard against irregularities in respect to the purchase of goods, Premier John Hart assured Harold Winch, leader of the C.C.F. Opposition, in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

The Premier gave this assurance during discussion of the Audit vote. It was the second time during the afternoon that the Government's purchasing system had come under fire in the House.

Mr. Winch said he was convinced that "something" must have been wrong in the checking, auditing and accounting systems to enable individuals "to get away with what they did." He was referring to irregularities in one branch of the Government service last year.

Had an investigation been made? What was the Premier doing? Mr. Winch said he was not questioning the sincerity of the Premier, or of the Government. But he wanted to make it absolutely clear in his own mind that no further opportunity would be given for "wrongdoing."

"I am convinced there must have been some neglect, connivance or conspiracy for circumstances to come about as they did in a certain branch of the Government of British Columbia, to enable individuals to get away with what they did."

He insisted that the situation must be cleared up, both inside and out, to make sure that no outside influence could be brought to bear to destroy the economy of the administration.

He asked an amendment to the bill setting up a purchasing commission, an amendment that would "make it absolutely illegal for any individual in the Government employ to supply to anyone outside the service a list of any persons with whom the Government does business.

"It would make a very favorable impression on the people of this Province. Put it into the act and then you will be assuring the people and at the same time guaranteeing that irregularities will not happen in future," Mr. Winch urged.

MAKE INVESTIGATION OF ACCOUNTING

Mr. Hart explained that Price Waterhouse & Company, chartered accountants, had been engaged by the Government to conduct a thorough investigation of departmental accounting methods, and that it was hoped their recommendations would "go a long way toward overcoming these defects that have existed in the past."

"Nothing will be left undone that has not been done," the Premier assured Mr. Winch. "Price, Waterhouse & Company will tell us the facts, and will recommend what should be done."

But Mr. Hart pointed out that dishonesty could not be entirely eliminated at all times.

"If people want to do something wrong, they can get by for a time, and no system in the world can prevent them. But their wrongdoing will catch up with them eventually, as it has always done in the past."

The Premier said the Government is very determined and serious about this matter, and he expressed confidence that the report of Price, Waterhouse & Company would recommend a "watertight" system.

But Mr. Winch thought the people should be given a "complete picture."

"We have investigated only one department, plugged only one loophole," the Opposition Leader went on. "We don't know what is going on in other departments, what waste and extravagance there may be. We haven't a complete picture. It is our duty to plug every loophole; to make the task of everyone who goes wrong as difficult as possible. If we could make a thorough investigation we might find that this Province has been paying a great deal more for its services than it should have."

WILL GO AS FAR AS POSSIBLE

Premier Hart replied that it was easy for "my honorable friend to leave an impression there is wrongdoing in every department. But I don't accept that. I assure him when we are through we will have gone as far as it is possible to go."

E. E. Winch (C.C.F., Burnaby) questioned whether the fault lay in the system or in "the calibre of officials in high places." He saw no need for the Government to employ chartered accountants to advise on how to properly conduct its business.

"I feel that it is evading the issue to call in someone else and leave the same officials still in charge. When irregularities occur in private business the officials responsible would soon cease to be the responsible heads."

The Government's purchasing system first came under discussion when Finance Minister Hart's bill, to set up a commission to control the purchase of supplies required in the public service of the Province, was introduced.

While the bill "ostensibly met the requirements the Government had in mind," the Opposition leader was convinced it would not mean much unless it was "thoroughly and completely" enforced.

"We sincerely hope the act will be enforced so we will not see a repetition of conditions that have appertained in the past," Mr. Winch added.

NO OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE

Mr. Hart said he believed the bill would accomplish the purpose intended by the Government, and that, with all responsibility placed in the hands of the commission, there will be no interference from outside sources in the purchase of supplies.

Mr. Winch suggested that some minister, preferably the Premier, be designated to answer questions put by the Legislature on matters relevant to the actions of the purchasing commission.

T. D. Pattullo (Lib., Prince Rupert) said he believed it was a mistake to make the commission responsible to the Legislature and not to the entire Government. He added that the bill, however, had been prepared by the elected representatives of the people, and if the voters were not satisfied they could always dismiss their representatives from office.

E. E. Winch (C.C.F., Burnaby) said the Legislature should have the opportunity of asking through the orders of the day any desired information as to the operations of the commission.

The bill passed third reading.

BLIMP REACHES BASE

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—A navy non-rigid blimp of the type used for anti-submarine patrols has completed a 3,000-mile flight to an outlying base and now is engaged there in combatting submarines, the United States Navy disclosed today. The flight, described as a "ferry" passage with several stops, was made in four days.

GERMANS TAKE HOSTAGES

STOCKHOLM, March 11 (AP).—The Germans are systematically taking hostages from Norway to hold in Germany in case some of their own high officers are captured in any evacuation of Norway, reports to Stockholm said last night.

POLICE PATROL STOLEN

SALT LAKE CITY, March 11 (AP).—A military police detail hurried out of its office to answer a rush call. The patrol car had been stolen.

The young bride was entertaining a visitor to tea.

"I cooked my first dinner last night," she confided, "and it was a great success."

"Really! I'm so glad," murmured the visitor.

"Yes, my husband is going to get me a cook right away."

Staggered Hours Aid Transport

Public Transit Figures Show Great Increase

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Working hours of considerably more than 400,000 Canadian workers have been staggered in the Government's programme to meet unprecedented war demands on public transportation systems, Munitions Department officials said today.

With increased employment and a reduction in the use of private automobiles because of gasoline and tire restrictions, public transport facilities are handling roughly twice their peacetime traffic with little if any additional equipment.

Figures for late 1942, in comparison with the same period of 1939, show an increase in public transit traffic in Halifax of 200 per cent. Other cities with large increases include Winnipeg, 71; Regina, 50; Edmonton, 53; Calgary, 73; Vancouver, 60, and Victoria 85. Interurban lines have reported increases as high as 190 per cent.

SHARE-THE-CAR PLAN FOR WORKERS

The Wartime Industrial Transit Plan is one of the means being used to meet transportation problems and is rapidly extending through Canadian plants. Under this plan industries participating appoint a plant transit officer who designates employees whose cars will be used, fixed operating schedules and makes plans to ensure cars being used to full capacity.

Drivers in the transit plan are entitled to a special gasoline allowance and will be given identifying windshield stickers with their new gasoline ration licence. They may also qualify for tire service not available to low-category drivers.

One noticeable feature of the action taken to provide transportation is a reversal of the trend from street cars to buses. In some centres abandoned street car lines have been put into use again and street cars idle in street railway yards for years have been returned to service.

Curtailment of bus services through elimination of lines duplicating railway service, restriction of bus travel to a continuous trip of fifty miles and outlawing of chartered trips have made a number of buses available for use in congested areas.

Plan of Social Security Will Be Known Soon

Report to Be Made Public on Tuesday

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP). — Dr. Cyril James, principal of McGill University, said today at a meeting of the House of Commons committee on reconstruction that there is a growing recognition through Canada that the solution of problems of the reconstruction period is as much a challenge to the Dominion as wartime mobilization was in 1940-41.

He said a 125-page report on social security, covering basically the same ground for Canada as Sir William Beveridge covered in his widely publicized report on social insurance for the United Kingdom, will be made public next Tuesday.

The report was placed on the record of the committee. On Tuesday it will be presented also to the House committee on social security at its first meeting and then will become public property.

The report was prepared by Dr. L. C. Marsh, technical advisor to Dr. James' committee.

POINTS OUT GAPS LEFT

Dr. James said it reviews the background of social security in Canada, outlining legislation already in effect and pointing out gaps which exist. There was no direct connection between Dr. Marsh's report and the Beveridge report, except the similarity of subject matter, it was said.

Dr. James described the work of the advisory committee on reconstruction, of which he is chairman. He said the committee had been reconstituted so it now assumes direct and primary responsibility for co-ordinating the work of the various Government departments in providing for postwar reconstruction. It now is responsible to the Prime Minister instead of to the Department of Pensions and National Health as formerly.

Regarding social security, Dr. James said:

"It's the negative part of reconstruction. Our committee is concentrating instead on the problems of maximizing the national income."

His committee was encouraging private initiative to develop long-range postwar plans. Already several industries like pulp and paper, textile, steel and insurance had set up committees to study production and employment in the postwar world.

WOULD STOP SALES

CHILLIWACK, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Sixty members and guests of the Chilliwack Board of Trade unanimously endorsed a resolution recently asking that sale of farm land to conscientious objectors be stopped until after the war.

SENTENCED FOR THEFT

NELSON, B.C., March 11 (CP).—John Berger Sunberger, of Trail, was sentenced to eighteen months hard labor in jail after pleading guilty to a charge of breaking and entering Watson's Store, Castlegar and stealing an electric razor.

Elected Bishop

Very Rev. John H. Dixon, who has been elected Anglican Bishop of Montreal.

War Powers Bill Passed

Washington State Has New Master Plan

OLYMPIA, Wash., March 11 (AP).—A compromise master war powers bill was passed by the Washington State Legislature late today, completing the state's wartime protection code.

The master bill, known as the Washington State War Council Act, sets up a board composed of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and state insurance commissioner to provide for the protection of life, safety, health and property of the people during the war.

The measure provides:

1. For control and restrictions of the movements and activities of the civilian population, especially in case of evacuation of any area.

2. For the efficient application of the resources of the state and nation toward the prosecution of the war and defence of the state and nation.

3. For the War Council to put into effect rules, regulations, orders and directives to meet any emergency; such rules will be the same as law and enforced by the regular governing bodies.

4. For the council to order mobilization of civilian manpower.

5. A training system for air raid wardens, demolition squads, etc.

6. For a system of staggered hours of employment in congested areas, if necessary.

7. For the council to direct enforcement of any orders it may give notwithstanding any provision of existing law.

8. Direct operations for the salvage and prevention of waste of strategic materials.

9. To supervise the personnel of all civilian defence activities.

10. Issue orders for blackouts and radio silences.

11. Any persons who violates an order of the council or the measure shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

12. Set maximum speed limits of automobiles.

Council Nears Objective In Effort to Set Tax Rate

AT the conclusion of the third successive session on estimates yesterday afternoon, the City Council learned that $17,940 would have to be taken from the budget to equal last year's tax rate of 37 mills. The next meeting will be held at the call of Mayor Andrew McGavin.

Before the budget was examined, Alderman Archie Wills pointed out the council would probably have to provide funds for postwar rehabilitation projects, and he suggested that a reserve be set aside before striking the mill rate.

Mayor Andrew McGavin doubted if the council had power under the Municipal Act to set aside funds for rehabilitation. D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller, thought such a reserve would be at the mercy of next year's council, which would not be bound by actions of the present civic body.

Alderman Wills reminded the council that the mill rate had to be raised during the depression to provide work for the unemployed, and suggested that aldermen ask the Department of Municipal Affairs if they could set aside $25,000.

Mayor McGavin thought it would be even better business to clear off the bank loan and pay other debts before considering a reserve fund.

VANCOUVER ASKS CITY TO SUPPORT PROTEST

A letter from the Vancouver city council stated members had written to Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, protesting against the implication that an adequate supply of fuel for citizens was a municipal responsibility; that the council had no control over manpower, and that unless men were put to work in the mines and woods the fuel shortage would continue. The letter also pointed out a delegation would be sent to Ottawa next week unless a favorable reply was received, and the city was asked to send representatives.

Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan contended the fuel situation here was far different from that on the Mainland. There had always been a surplus of wood on Vancouver Island. Low ceiling prices of sawdust prevented shipments for six weeks. Wood could not be cut without an adequate supply of labor. One of the six major coal dealers here had received only two cars of coal since January, and needed up to three daily. If wood was not shipped to the city, it was either exported or burned. If the city wished to cut wood, the time was now ripe, but he doubted if labor could be secured, he said.

In dealing with other general business, Alderman Edward Williams successfully moved that a tender of Hayes-Anderson, Ltd., Vancouver, to construct a new garbage trailer and rebuild the present truck for $5,600 be recommended next Monday afternoon.

TRADES LICENCES VOTE PASSED BY COUNCIL

When an item of $110,000 for estimated receipts of trades licences was passed, the comptroller commented that a number of small stores would probably be forced out of business in the city because of a shortage of supplies.

Estimated revenue of the public market and scales was increased from $7,300 to $7,500; removal of garbage, $10,500 to $11,500, and an item of $5,400 added for the rent of buildings at Willows Park.

The comptroller said 91.346 per cent of the tax levy was collected last year, the highest since 1911, and the budget this year was based on collection of 91 per cent of the taxes.

He pointed out part of a vote of $191,000 for contingencies and emergencies was to guard against a sudden increase in the mill rate through any postwar rehabilitation projects. He added that a mill would produce less revenue than last year because of a slight general reduction in the assessment on improvements, and estimated that $17,940 more would have to be taken from the budget to strike a tax rate of thirty-seven mills.

At the close of the meeting, Alderman F. A. Willis estimated that the mill rate could be set if $18,000 was taken from the reserve for contingencies.

Reformation of Pharmaceutical Business Urged

During discussion of estimates for the Provincial Secretary's Department in the Legislature last night, Harold Winch, Opposition Leader, asked Hon. George S. Pearson to bring in next year a measure reforming the pharmaceutical business of the province.

"Pharmacies deal more with general merchandise now than with drugs," he said. "Pharmacy is but a sideline and 15 per cent volume of business in prescriptions will bring in 50 per cent of the net profit of a pharmacy," said Mr. Winch, quoting from a pharmaceutical journal. "It is time the Pharmaceutical Council cleaned shop inside and out, else this Legislature should take the necessary steps."

Mr. Winch told of four Vancouver druggists who were prosecuted for selling morphine, yet no disciplinary action had been taken by the council.

"There are certain instruments for the purpose of abortion that can be purchased in Vancouver drug stores," he went on. "Also, they sell a compounded preparation for certain female weaknesses. The cost to the druggist is sixty-five cents and to the purchaser $5, and the powders are supposed to bring on a miscarriage.

"Patent medicines by the hundreds are on sale, all containing some ingredient needed in the war effort. The pharmaceutical business should be put on a sounder basis."

DIED AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, March 11.—Funeral services for James Gordon, sixty-seven, pioneer resident of Cedar district who died at his home today will be held Monday at 2:30 p.m. Mr. Gordon is survived by his brother, Kenneth, Nanaimo, and his sister, Miss Jane, at home.

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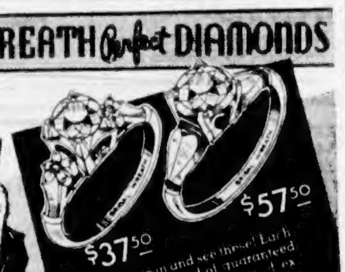

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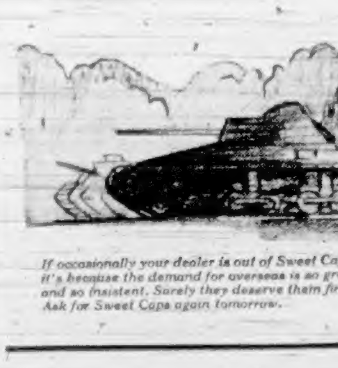

Liberal Members Ask Tariff Removal

Thomas Reid and R. T. Graham Call for Action Immediately—Warn of Big Business Monopoly

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Demands for immediate action toward removing tariff barriers and warnings that big business interests were striving to gain postwar control of industry were heard in the House of Commons today in the continued budget debate.

Both advocates of tariff reform were Government supporters, R. T. Graham (Liberal, Swift Current) and Thomas Reid (Liberal, New Westminster), and both called for immediate action in this direction.

Clarence Gillis (C.C.F., Cape Breton South) charged that big business interests represented on Government boards and in other spheres were using the war emergency as a means of furthering their ambition to control. Mr. Reid endorsed this claim in part.

Mr. Graham spoke of the ills which have beset his own province, Saskatchewan, and of the bonuses and other aid which it has received from the Federal Treasury.

He said the majority of people in Saskatchewan would sacrifice all that aid if they could be assured of a right to produce all they could sell it in the most advantageous markets, and buy in the best and cheapest market.

WANT TO EARN OWN WAY

"That is the gift I would wish the Liberal party to give to the people of my province because that would put them in the position of honest dependence on their efforts that every free British citizen so much desires," said Mr. Graham.

Unless there was freedom to trade with other countries, particularly, the United States, the production of Western Canada, swollen by war, would come into collision with Central Canadian products.

Mr. Reid also urged reform and forecast that, without it the Provinces of British Columbia and Nova Scotia would suffer an "economic blackout" after the war.

Mr. Gillis covered a wide variety of subjects in his speech but stressed the importance of the C.C.F. subamendment to the budget motion, calling for nationalization of industry.

"Through the medium of our war boards you have the heads of the large corporations sitting in and taking advantage of the seriousness of the war situation and the necessity for production," he maintained.

CHARGES LUMBER PRODUCTION SLOWED

A recent tax concession given the British Columbia lumber industry was an indication, said Mr. Gillis, that the lumber industry had been slowing down production as the miners had been charged with doing.

Lieut.-Col. J. A. Ross (Progressive Conservative, Souris) said the people would bear any financial burden if they could feel that there was no waste or extravagance, but the evidence was that wasteful expenditures were being made.

Mr. Reid referred to a speech on Wednesday by H. A. Mackenzie (Liberal, Lambton-Kent), who urged reducing the speech time limit from forty to twenty minutes, reform of the Senate and abolition of the franking privilege of members.

"If free speech is ever curtailed in this House it will be, in my opinion, the beginning of curtailment of free speech outside the House," he said. "The right of every member to speak freely and as often and as long as he likes in Parliament, distasteful as it may be to some, is still a great safeguard and bulwark of democracy."

Mr. Reid said it was quite possible that before the war ended the Government might have to "consider the issue of national funds or loans from the Bank of Canada.

"I, for one would like to see him (Mr. Ilsley) give further consideration to dealing more, in some controlled way, with the Bank of Canada."

WOULD ELIMINATE PRICES BOARD

Referring to the Prices Board, Mr. Reid said that no one had advocated its elimination but it was because persons so inclined feared to be called unpatriotic.

The thought was in the minds of many that "large business is consolidating its position during this time."

Mr. Reid expressed a hope that during the debate Mr. Ilsley would explain why the Canadian dollar is still at a discount as compared with United States funds, and said it was officially declared in the United States that this situation was maintained at the request of Canada.

He suggested that a new source of revenue might be an increase in the tax on moving picture entertainment without decreasing the attendance at theatres.

He also discussed free trade and urged some consideration of this problem at once. "Talk of the new order!" he exclaimed. "If we cannot fix up our own house how are we going to lead the world in free trade."

The Alaska highway, Mr. Reid said, had not gone through the best of the surveyed routes and had virtually by-passed British Columbia.

They May Become Cardinals

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CHICAGO THE ARCHBISHOP OF N.Y.

Elevation of Archbishop Samuel Stritch, left, of Chicago, and Archbishop Francis J. Spellman, right, to the College of Cardinals, is anticipated in Catholic circles, according to latest reports. Archbishop Spellman had several conferences with Pope Pius over matters not revealed.

WOMEN SHIP WORKERS

SAN PEDRO, Cal., March 11 (AP).—James Drake, business agent for the C.I.O. National Maritime Union, said today that more than 500 women throughout the United States have signed up with the union seeking service on cargo carriers. All that is holding them back from helping to man cargo boats is official permission from Government authorities.

BROKER DIES

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Reginald Percy Whitaker, sixty-one, well-known real estate broker who died in hospital here Tuesday.

FLYER COMING WEST

CALGARY, March 11 (CP).—Squadron Leader R. Panet-Raymond, recently returned from a tour of R.C.A.F. stations throughout the United Kingdom, arrived here today. He will leave for Vancouver Saturday.

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Navy League Finishes Up Active Year

Retiring Officers Report to Members

Following completion of the annual meeting of the Victoria and Island Division of the Navy League of Canada which took place at Prince Robert House last night, the board of directors met and selected Captain R. W. McMurray to act as president for the year 1943.

Other officers named were: First vice-president, Cmdr. C. T. Beard; second vice-president, Dr. T. A. Rickard; treasurer, E. Stonham; assistant secretary, Mrs. Gordon Bowes; executive committee, Jules Prudholme, Capt. G. Kirkendale, Dr. T. A. Rickard, G. A. Renton, Cmdr. H. R. Tingley, R. W. Hibberson, Brig. L. W. Miller, Arthur Cownden, Alderman W. Lloyd Morgan, Kenneth Ferguson, J. V. Johnson, Mrs. L. A. Genge, Dr. E. W. Boak, Mrs. R. Shanks and Miss E. Dryden.

The retiring president, Commander C. T. Beard, presenting his report outlined the activities of the organization during the past year. Appreciable progress had been made, he stated, especially since the addition of sub-committees to the executive committee. Prior to the war the Sea Cadets had been the sole commitment of the Victoria Division, he recalled in complimenting Lieut.-Commander Tribe and his loyal instructors on the degree of efficiency the corps has attained.

The value of the training the cadets had received in the past had been realized during the period of rapid naval expansion. It had not been all plain sailing, especially since the drill hall at the Outer Wharf was taken over in furthering the shipbuilding programme. Temporary quarters through the courtesy of the Saanich School Board had been made available for a time. Seeking permanent quarters, the League finally arranged for the purchase of the James Bay Athletic Association's property and several adjoining lots.

FORTUNATE IN CHOICE OF LEAGUE CHAIRMAN

The Division was fortunate in obtaining R. W. Hibberson to act as chairman of the Sea Cadet Committee. In an effort to meet the urgent necessity of providing naval and merchant seamen with quarters while on shore leave, Prince Robert House was opened in August, 1941. Jules Prudhomme, K.C., subsequently kindly consented to act as chairman of the house committee. Shortly after he accepted the office instructions were received to transfer all hostels in Canada to centralized authority in Toronto and Ottawa.

Making recommendations for a membership committee, Commander Beard praised the successful efforts made in connection with Navy Week by Sir Heaton Robinson and Dr. Rickard. The war comforts' committee, now under the chairmanship of Brigadier L. W. Miller, had done grand work in connection with the distribution of ditty bags. The president closed his report with thanks to the ladies and gentlemen who voluntarily assisted the League during the past year.

In presenting his report on the war comforts' committee, Brigadier Miller said that since Christmas 6,000 ditty bags have been received and distributed. These had come from Red Cross and I.O.D.E. organizations between Ontario and the Pacific Coast. He made special mention of Mrs. O'Kelly and Mrs. Harrington in connection with the ditty bag effort.

NUMBER OF CADETS AND OFFICERS ENTER NAVY

Lieut.-Commander Tribe, of H.M.C.S. Rainbow Sea Cadets, submitting his report, said that training of the boys was proceeding under improved conditions. He had had faithful and enthusiastic cooperation from his officers. He referred to the Summer camp for cadets at Comox during June and expressed appreciation for interest of Captain F. G. Hart, H.M.C.S. Naden, and his officers. The strength of the corps was 232. Twenty-six cadets and a number of officers had gone to sea during 1942. The band under Bugle Instructor Drysdale was doing well with four drummers, sixteen buglers and a drum major.

Reports were also made by Honorary Treasurer Stonham; Mrs. F. M. Edwards, Prince Robert House; R. W. Hibberson, Sea Cadet committee; Captain Walter Brown, musketry; Mrs. R. Shanks, Women's Auxiliary; Navy Week, Dr. T. A. Rickard.

Car Takes Fire In Downtown Section

Although actual damage was slight, a burning motor car belonging to the Victoria Fruit & Packing Company, 4190 Quadra Street, last night attracted a large crowd to the corner of Blanshard and Johnson Streets. Arriving promptly, the fire department extinguished the blaze. Cause was unknown.

A second run, shortly after midnight, took the fire fighters to the Industrial Reserve, where a brief but spectacular sawdust fire occurred at the plant of Sweeney Cooperage, Limited. Quickly under control, no material loss resulted.

Earlier in the evening, the fire department responded to calls from 33 Simcoe Street and 18 Hollywood Crescent, where small roof fires were put out with little or no loss.

Saanich fire department conquered two small fires last night, one at 2934 Albina Street, a roof fire, and one a grass fire on Midgard Street, the latter threatening for a time a nearby building.

Trail Police Office Robbed

TRAIL, B.C., March 11 (CP).—British Columbia Provincial Police reported today thieves broke into their office here overnight and escaped with a "considerable sum" of money. Trail police who are investigating refused to divulge the amount. The thieves ripped off a letter box to unlock the door from the inside.

Mrs. Thornton Fell Dies at Residence

Mrs. Elizabeth Fell, seventy-seven, widow of Thornton Fell, prominent Victoria lawyer and clerk of the Legislature for forty years, who died here in 1920, passed away yesterday morning at her home, 921 Foul Bay Road. Mrs. Fell was born in Belleville, Ont., and came to Victoria to be married in 1900. Mr. and Mrs. Fell moved to their home on Foul Bay Road in 1914.

Active in club affairs in the city, Mrs. Fell was a member of the Red Cross and the Women's Canadian Club.

She leaves two sons, J. N. T. Fell, of the Canadian Active Army, at present in Victoria, and A. T. Fell, in Winnipeg, and one brother, Judge J. A. Forin, Vancouver.

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns will officiate at private funeral services to be held Monday at the residence. Cremation will take place at Royal Oak. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. is in charge.

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Minister Agrees to Amendment of Coal Mine Labor Measure

A recommendation that the bill proposing that uncertified persons be permitted to work in coal mines be amended to specify that not more than twelve men would work underground at one time under an uncertified boss will be made to the Cabinet by Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Mines.

The minister announced his intention after a conference yesterday morning with John Stokaluk, vice-president of the United Mine Workers of America, Calgary; Peter Lawson, secretary of the Nanaimo local; J. H. Cameron, president, and J. Bond, secretary, of the Cumberland local.

The delegates told the minister that miners believe mines operating on a big scale would take advantage of the new bill. The minister agreed to comply with the request of the delegates that the restricting clause be included.

He explained that the object of the bill is to make possible the opening of new mines in the northern part of the province.

Also attending the conference were Colin Cameron (C.C.F., Comox), Samuel Guthrie (C.C.F., Cowichan-Newcastle) and Thomas Uphill (Labor, Fernie).

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ABSENTEEISM IN WAR INDUSTRY

It has been discovered in the United States that "illegitimate absenteeism" among shipyard workers is costing an estimated 100 Liberty ships annually. That is a severe handicap in production, and, comparatively speaking, there is the same loss of effort in this Dominion. In the local shipyards, for instance, the rate of absenteeism, whether legitimate or otherwise, is about 8 per cent of the number of employees. When this is spread among over 4,000 workers the loss in production becomes considerable and the difficulty of co-ordinated effort in the different processes of the industry becomes pronounced. In the United States the chairman of the Maritime Commission suggests legislation designed to curb absenteeism by requiring shipyard foremen to report to local draft boards the names of workers absent without sufficient cause, with a view to possible induction into the armed forces. No such drastic course has been hinted at in Canada. In fact, in this country, nothing is being done to meet the problem as it affects not only shipbuilding but munition plants and every kind of war industry.

Absenteeism has been set down to a number of causes. Chief among these is the high wages enjoyed and the desire on the part of certain workmen to escape as much as possible of the heavy income tax now levied. Neither of these excuses reflects credit on that percentage of employees who take holidays without justifiable reason. In fact, in either case, there is a slur on their patriotism. As compared with the hours worked in Great Britain and Germany those engaged in war production on this continent have an easy time. It is doubtful if, in any industry, they work harder than in times of peace, whereas the wages enjoyed have increased. So, too, of course, has the cost of living, but that applies as well and in a much more pronounced way to conditions in those warring countries that are engaged in a total war effort.

The solution of the problem of absenteeism seems one that should be of special concern to those who represent labor in the legislatures of the country, yet even discussion of it seems to be taboo with them. The Governments concerned, as well, have a responsibility for absenteeism has to do with the problem of manpower and woman-power as a whole. One remedy that has been proposed is that fines should be imposed on those who absent themselves from war work without legitimate cause. This course, however, would not dovetail with voluntary war effort such as prevails in Canada as opposed to total war effort which is only possible under conscription. The problem of absenteeism is one that should be tackled. It is wholly logical to believe that it is one which labor legislators should have closely at heart.

WOOD, $13 A CORD

Approximately a year and a half ago ordinary firewood was selling in British Columbia towns and cities at or around $3 a cord. We have it now on the authority of Ottawa that because wood fuel is scarce consumers may be charged $13 a cord for it—not that they must be, but that they may be. The qualification is meaningless as the public knows, because who will sell for less when the official price ceiling is put at $13, presumably for certain grades of wood fuel.

The intimation came in the form of a dispatch by The Canadian Press, as follows:

"Ottawa, March 9 (CP).—Finance Minister Ilsley told the House of Commons today the price of fuel wood in Vancouver was not raised from $9 to $13 a cord on instructions of the Prices' Board, but that the board had approved the action because of a shortage of fuel. Mr. Ilsley also said it was not illegal to sell wood for less than $13 a cord."

The explanation is open to serious challenge on several grounds. Is there any difference between the Prices' Board proposing or merely approving an increase from $9 to $13 a cord? Is scarcity all that is required to move prices up through their official ceilings, and on again into the clear blue vault of inflation? Since when did a permitted price of $13 a cord become any kind of an invitation to distributors to sell for less? Will they now sell for less? Parliament has every right to question that statement, if the minister is correctly reported, for it contains a direct challenge to the Government's own price structure at its root and base.

HERE, AND THERE!

Passers-by on a certain street in this city yesterday, and street car patrons who sought to pass the time by looking out of the traveling windows, had their attention drawn to so simple a thing as a child's play-pen, its smooth railings looking golden against a green-grass lawn. In the play-pen were two occupants, sharing an immense and wonderful world. One was a golden-haired child, with ringlets of curls, semaphoring arms, and a rich, fat chuckle. The other was that old-fashioned but most useful companion, a Teddy bear. Somehow, in the sunshine that broke through for a little while, the mind of many a passer-by, and of many a street car patron, seemed to linger there.

It is not hard to imagine another side of the world where play-pens have been taken in, where there is no place out of doors that would be safe for them and their precious inhabitants. On that side of the world little children are awakened from their sleep by wailing sirens; hurried through dark and cavernous passages underground; fed, clothed and bathed in a make-shift way and at make-shift times; and deprived of the very sunshine upon which human lungs must thrive. On that side of the world, too, little children, hardly more than toddlers, have to be taught to walk and to talk all over again; their balance, their speech, and their very reason shocked out of them by concussion. What tragic little patients they are, walking the inch-high wooden rails in public nurseries!

Reverting to the play-pen that yesterday formed such a compelling attraction for many eyes on a certain street in this city, one believes that that, in part, is what we are fighting for—the right of young life to live, to be beloved, and to grow; to grow, moreover, as a distinct and unrepeated experiment from the hands of Providence, a natural wonder that may never be duplicated again as long as time itself lasts. To reclaim that right for all young lives, to make sure that no child must be thrust underground in order to survive, to free the world of its man-made terrors, is surely part of the long and tragic account.

In that mission, the Canadian Red Cross is bearing a front-line position. It is healing the hurt even while the terror is on. In that service there are few so poor that they cannot be of some help, of some assistance, each in his, or her, own good part. Yesterday morning, too, the Canadian Red Cross drive stood at $72,195 in Greater Victoria. Who will help to make that $90,000, the minimum sum required to continue the simplest of Christian charities in 1943? To put in another way, can there be any minimum to what the world must now do for its children, if man himself is to survive? We know the answer, but have we all, individually, taken up our part?

NON-WAR EXPENDITURES

In pointing to an increase in non-war expenditures, Mr. J. L. Ilsley, the Federal Minister of Finance, said this was due "directly or indirectly to war conditions." On such outlays $565,000,000 were spent during the year just past, whereas the sum wanted for the coming fiscal year is $610,000,000. That, however, is not regarded as a good comparison, for The Montreal Gazette points out that the fairer way is to compare what Mr. Ilsley thinks he will want for next year and what he thought he would want for last year. It goes on to say: "In the main estimates (tabled in February, 1942) Mr. Ilsley thought he would want only $454,000,000. So the estimates for this year are really up no less than $156,000,000."

It probably was very difficult for the Minister of Finance to decide on what he would require. The Gazette draws attention to "interest charges on war-swollen debts, on higher operating costs of war-rushed departments like the Postoffice, grants to provinces in lieu of war-commandeered income tax—all these things are 'non-war' charges, and they doubtless add up to $156,000,000."

What must be considered, in conjunction with the foregoing figures, is an apparent want of the practice of economy in those departments of Government which are only indirectly concerned with the war. A director was appointed to see just what economies could be effected, but, because of departmental authority, he has not made much progress. The complaint has been put forward on his behalf that he is hampered at every step. That is perhaps why The Gazette should say: "To satisfy the public that we are getting the full worth of our mammoth tax bill the Government must explain in more detail what peace-time services have been reduced, what eliminated altogether—and if not, why not. There is abroad a shrewd suspicion that many time-honored expenditures could be sliced if a really unsparing hand got at them, and it is worth remembering that Mr. Ilsley, who enjoys a remarkably high degree of public confidence, has proclaimed his lack of interest in what other departments do with their money. His job is getting it, not spending it. There is a field here for some hard, aggressive, detailed work by Opposition M.P.'s—not merely to fire into empty air vague questions which the Government will not answer, but to dig into the details of administration and find out what goes on. If, then, they are satisfied that no penny is being wasted, they can do a great national service by saying so, and taking a load off the public mind. If they find otherwise they can ask the Government why, and demand an answer."

ORANGE LIGHTS

The gradual disappearance of blue lights in the city's tramway system, and the substitution of yellow-orange lights is a change for the better, where it has taken place. The blue lights were a makeshift in the first place, installed at a time when Victoria's dim-out at times became a blackout. Happily, the upset of those first days are past, and clearer, saner counsels are now prevailing. Under these, there is no reason why street car patrons should grope about in darkness as they have been doing for some months.

The difference upon the changing of the lights is immediately noticeable. From the exterior the street cars look much about the same, but inside the aisles and passageways are visible, and patrons can even see to read, if they wish to attempt that. There is another factor in the removal of the blue lights, and it is a psychological one. They cast a gloomy pall over the public. From a civilian protection standpoint, they ser[illegible] little or no useful purpose at all. Having be[illegible] the substitution, the traction company shoul[illegible] [illegible]mplete it, and with as little delay as is hum[illegible] possible.

THE [illegible] COACH OF LIFE

The swaying coach, [illegible] for all its load,
Runs lightly as it rocks [illegible] down the road
Grey Time goes driving [illegible]
And never leaves his box [illegible].

We jump into the coach at [illegible]
Alert and fresh and free
And holding broken bones in [illegible]
"Go on!" shout we.

By midday all is changed about,
Our morning hearts are cool
We fear the steep descents and [illegible]
"Go slow, you fool!"

At dusk we're used to jolt and din
And when the light is gone
We sleep before we reach the inn
As Time drives on.

—By Pushkin, translated by Frances Corn[illegible] The New Statesman.

THE SCREECH OWL

Hearing the strange night-piercing so[illegible]
Of woe that strove to sing,
I followed where it hid, and found
A small soft-throated thing,
A feathered handful of grey grief
Perched by the year's last leaf!

And heeding not that in the sky
The lamps of peace were lit,
It sent abroad that sobbing cry,
And sad hearts echoed it.
O hush, poor grief, so grey, so w[illegible]
God still is with His child!

—Ethelwyn Wetherald

The flower that follows the sun do[illegible] even in cloudy days.—Leighton.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

ARMOR DE COSMOS

Sir,—Reading the story of the first hundred years of Victoria and the legislation to change the name of William Alexander Smith to Amor de Cosmos brought to mind another version of that incident. Years ago I read that, on presentation of the bill in the California Legislature, some "wag" moved that it be "Patrick [illegible] O'Rourke" and that only one vote saved the day.

O. L. CHARLTON.

1548 Bank Street, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1943.

A CORRECTION

Sir,—In your paper of the March 10 instant appeared a notice of the death of my sister, Mary (Minnie) Elizabeth Crawford. I am given as her sister, Mary H. Crawford. This is incorrect. My name is Margaret H. Crawford. The name as given in the paper being erroneous might cause me some inconvenience.

MARGARET H. CRAWFORD.

Empress Hotel, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1943.

AID TO FUEL DEALERS

Sir,—The recent arguments between Victoria and Ottawa over the responsibility of the wood-fuel question has netted us no wood in our basements. Surely Victoria and nearby municipalities can reach an agreement with the dealers now, not later, as to how much financial aid they must have to start producing fuel for next Winter. Good men can still be had, but at a price. The dealers cannot pay that price and sell at present rates. If the financial aid is not settled now as to how much and how soon, it will be another case of too little too late next Winter.

Surely the city of Victoria and nearby municipalities can guarantee this aid now and argue with Ottawa while the wood is being cut. I am a cordwood producer who is very fortunate to have good men, but will not have them long if a settlement is not forthcoming at once.

NORMAN COPLEY.

951 Inverness Street, Saanich.

BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS

Sir,—Might I be allowed a few lines to express my deepest gratitude to Mr. Norman Yarrow, Mr. Barclay, Mr. Helmcken and, last but far from least, the boys at the shipyard for their kindness in offering to donate their blood in order that I may remain on this earth. Mr. Yarrow asked for voluntary blood donors and to me the result was amazing. I have an incurable blood disease brought on by an accident while moving furniture, and must have a blood transfusion at least every ten days. I would like to state that Mr. Yarrow goes out of his way very frequently to make working conditions as pleasant as possible for all of us, and the boys and I think a lot of him. He stops and chats with any employee, no matter what his occupation may be in the plant.

In closing, I would like to thank also the boys at the Island Freight Service, where I was employed when injured. They helped me a lot. Some of them have given me as many as five transfusions.

HARRY M. WALKER.

3710 Craigmillar Avenue, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1943.

COLLIERY WORKERS

Sir,—Those who know coal mining, and the writer speaks with some knowledge, cannot help but agree with the strong opposition to permitting inexperienced workers below ground. Only a coal miner can know the extreme danger of relaxing our present laws governing this dangerous occupation.

Yes, accidents can happen even with the present care and precaution. A mine manager's responsibility for his men's safety, as it is, is nerve-wracking, for well he knows what can happen in spite of all the many years of effort devoted to providing preventive measures in order to lessen the most dreaded of accidents (explosions), when in a twinkling hundreds of precious lives can be snuffed out. In addition, the underground workings may be put out of commission even for years without a ton of coal being mined.

No, by all means, keep the inexperienced out of coal mines. Too many years have been required to bring our British Columbia mines up to the present standard of safety. Have we not got troubles enough? Why ask for more by relaxing at such a critical time? Our miners' lives are of greater value than all the (controllers) or the coal above or below the surface.

ALICE McGREGOR.

1190 Camrose Crescent, Victoria, B.C., March 10, 1943.

PRICES OF VEGETABLES

Sir,—I have just read with amazement Mr. Bullivant's letter in your paper. He bemoans the fact that there is no ceiling on fresh vegetables. He mentions cabbage at 10c a pound, spinach 25c, carrots 10c a bunch, cauliflower, sprouts and so on. Well, Mr. Bullivant, all the items mentioned are fancy imported vegetables coming from as far away as 2,000 miles. Good local carrots and turnips are still on the market at a reasonable price; and if a fair producer price had been set on potatoes there would be plenty of them also.

Mr. Bullivant's letter typifies the thoughtless attitude of many city consumers. Our whole urban economy has been based on starvation (to the producer) prices for farm crops. I couldn't help feeling sorry for your correspondent; he actually was unable to buy carrots at three bunches for 10c! That is a price to the producer of 2c!

I challenge anyone to rent a field, plough, harrow, fertilize, sow, weed, cultivate then, pull, bunch, wash and deliver to town at 2c a bunch and earn for himself 15c per hour.

Even if Mr. Bullivant can't afford imported bunch carrots, better things are around the corner. In a few months, local new carrots will be in again at 5c a bunch, perhaps even three for 10c! But there is danger even to the city consumer in these low prices, for, as sure as fate, if more farmers cast aside their ploughs in despair and take the more lucrative "eight hours per" work in town, one fine morning he will come out to breakfast and there will be nothing to eat.

R. E. C. STEPHENS.

R.R. 3, Duncan, B.C., March 10, 1943.

WORKERS DUES

Sir,—In reply to Mr. Foster's letter of March 10, I stated in my last letter which you kindly published, that Mr. Foster should gain some knowledge of the labor movement in general before rushing into print and criticizing matters of which his own knowledge is very limited.

Mr. Foster's reply to this was to again rush into print with some fanciful facts and figures that could only do credit to Hans Anderson in his best "fairy tale telling" mood.

Where Mr. Foster received his information regarding the organization of this "unnamed explosives plant" I do not know, but Mr. Foster should, if only in deference to the intelligence of these workers, verify his facts before printing such rubbish as his last letter. As these workers will, in all probability, wish to answer Mr. Foster's intimations in their own way, I shall not dwell further on this subject.

I would, however, like to point out to Mr. Foster, that to attain some knowledge of the labor movement in Canada, he will have to read some other publications as well as McLean's Magazine. There are countless other sources of information that probably air labor problems on a wider scale.

In closing may I again thank you for the space granted for this letter, and further add I have no further desire to carry on this correspondence.

GEORGE WILKINSON.

2020 Chancer Street, Victoria, B.C. March 10, 1943.

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HEADS BOY SCOUTS

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Dr. W. T. Kergin was elected president of the Provincial Board of the Boy Scouts Association at its annual meeting here with vice-presidents including Major H. B. Hunter of Victoria, Col. M. E. Dopping-Hepenstal, Duncan, and Dr. C. H. Wright, Trail.

BIG TRANSLATION JOB

CHUNGKING, China, March 11 (AP).—Work has been started on translating the Encyclopedia Britannica into Chinese, it was announced here. This "colossal undertaking" will require several years, the announcement said. The National Institute for Compilation and Translation of the Ministry of Education, is in charge.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of March 12, 1918)

British Airmen Raid Stuttgart—British aviators bombed the Daimler motor works at Stuttgart yesterday. An official announcement made last night said the raid was carried out in broad daylight. More than one and a quarter tons of bombs were dropped. Hostile machines made a weak attempt to attack our formation, but withdrew on being attacked. British aviators of the naval air service yesterday morning made a raid over Belgium, dropping bombs on the airdrome and munition dumps at Engel, the Admiralty announces. Two fires were started.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

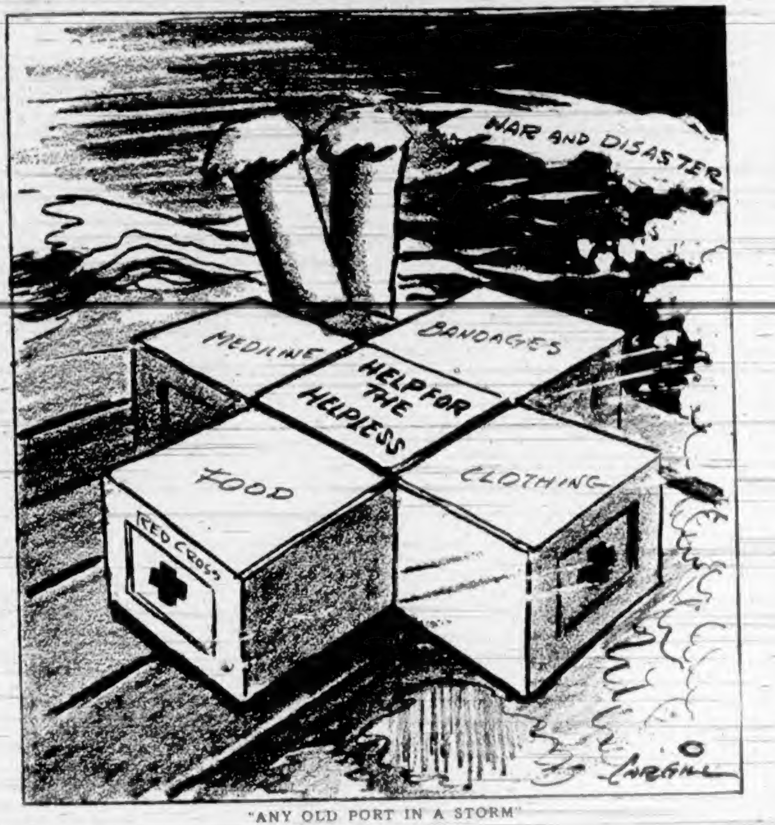
(From The Daily Colonist of March 12, 1893)

A Collision—In running away, a horse drawing a grocery wagon came into collision with a hansom on the hack stand in front of The Colonist office yesterday afternoon, the accident resulting in the horse being thrown to the ground, when he was easily captured. The hansom was but slightly injured; a little paint scraped off being about the only damage done.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 12, 1868)

From Nanaimo—The steamer Constantine arrived from Nanaimo yesterday afternoon. She has on board 340 tons of coal for Sitka, and will await the arrival of Prince Maksutoff from San Francisco before proceeding on her voyage. The ship Isaac Jeanes sailed yesterday morning for San Francisco, with 1,300 tons of coal and the ship Fanny is loading for the same destination. The seam of coal now being worked is believed to be the most extensive and best yet struck at Nanaimo. The Constantine made the run up to Nanaimo in six and one-half hours.



"ANY OLD PORT IN A STORM"

Observation Car

By G.B.

"A Bicycle Built for Two," was written by Harry Dacre, an Englishman, who came to the United States in the '90's. As he was leaving the ship at New York, he found he had to pay duty on a bicycle he brought along. "Lucky for you that it was not built for two," a customs officer grinned, meaning in that case he would have had to pay double duty. The phrase lingered in Dacre's mind and a week later he wrote the song that has remained popular for fifty years. No publisher in the United States would accept it, so he sent it back to a friend at London. It was introduced at a music hall and became such a tremendous hit that United States music publishers finally paid a large price for the song . . . The Saskatchewan Industrial Development Board at Regina is experimenting with table syrup, ethyl alcohol, dextrose, sugar, glucose and high-protein cattle food produced from wheat . . . The first subway system was the London tube which opened in 1863 . . . "Look at that car parked four feet from the curb by some stupid twerp. People like that should not be allowed to drive," Broad Street Bertie commented as he pointed to a machine outside the entrance to his tobacco shop. We looked out but said nothing. "I hope some cop comes along and gives him a ticket. That is the sort of thing that causes accidents," Bertie resumed. "Guess you are right," we lamely answered. "I see a cop coming along View Street and have half a mind to tell him," Bertie continued. "Better not. The car is probably there for only a few minutes," we admonished Bertie. Then we completed the purchase of a package of cigarettes, stepped into the offending car, and drove away, while Bertie stood in the doorway with his mouth open.

How It Started—

By JEAN NEWTON

PUN

"A man who would make a pun . . . would not scruple to pick a pocket."—John Dennis.

The pun, they say, is the lowest form of wit; but we will never be counted on the side of "they."

Just how and why the pun got propagandized into its low estate, we never, for the life of us, could figure out. We have come to the conclusion it's because the have-nots have so far prevailed against the haves—that is, those who have not the native genius necessary to pen the pun have outshouted those who have what it takes.

Mark Twain was not among the pun's lampooners. When the Occident steamrolled into China and extorted the Boxer indemnity—to which, let it be said to Uncle Sam's everlasting honor and glory he was not a party—the elemental Mark remarked that the Powers that trampled over the Flowery Kingdom said to its peasants: "Heads you lose, tails you win."

D'Israeli's benediction was: "Great praise to God and little Laud to the devil," or something like it.

Charles Lamb wished to draw his last breath through a pipe and exhale it in a pun. The worst puns, he observed, were the best. And he told of an Oxford scholar who, meeting a porter carrying a hare through the streets, accosted him: "Prithee, friend, is that thy own hare, or a wig?"

The monosyllabic "pun" itself, too, deserved better than the interest, sneering and slight usually begrudged it.

Meaning a play on words which usually arouses in its hearers a suppressed smile and towards its maker an unsuppressed scowl, its detractors delight in insinuating that it probably springs from the Anglo-Saxon punian to (punish) bruise or pound; but there is just as much reason, maybe more, to maintain that it is an abbreviation of the Italian puntiglio small or focal point, and that it was one of the clipped words which became fashionable slang around the Restoration.

Even Shakespeare practised the pun, and unless our memory has slipped, the boy who left Avon for London and made good in a big way, thought a man could be punned to death.

We hope the Great Bard was right; we hear that even in Italy now they are saying it is Ill Duce.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Central Baptist To Hear Visitor

A former guide in the Holy Land, J. H. Hunter, editor of The Evangelical Christian, will be the special speaker in the Central Baptist Church from Sunday to Thursday. As a journalist, Mr. Hunter was for ten years on the staff of The Toronto Globe. He has been in India, China and Japan, but it is Egypt, Syria and Palestine that have claimed his principal interest and attention.

Mr. Hunter will speak at three services on Sunday, and on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock he will give lantern lectures on Palestine entitled "East and West of Jordan." On Wednesday at 8 p.m. he will show "The Shepherd Psalm," a picture taken north of Jerusalem, and on Thursday at 8 p.m. "The Immortal Story—Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress Illustrated."

Rev. L. E. Goodman, of the Unevangelized Fields Mission, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Young People's Society on Friday at 8 o'clock.

CIRCULATIONS STEADY

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—The American Newspaper Publishers' Association today disclosed results of a survey of daily newspaper circulation rates in the United States, showing that 690 newspapers reported increases in one or more classifications during 1942, while the remaining 475 of the 1,165 replying said no increases had been made. Little or no loss in circulation as the result of increased prices was reported by 102 newspapers, while 171 reported gains ranging from less than one to as much as 38 per cent.

FORTY YEARS TOO LATE

INDIANAPOLIS, March 11 (AP).—The absent-minded tourist who forgot to turn in his key when he checked out of the Bates House here, some time between 1852 and 1901, has finally come across. The key has just arrived in the mail but the Bates House was torn down in 1901. The postman delivered the key to the hotel which now occupies the site.

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 7:43 tonight and continue until 7:02 Saturday morning.

MARCH

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1943.
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time.)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6.57	5.56	17	6.24	6.20
2	6.55	5.57	18	6.22	6.22
3	6.53	5.59	19	6.20	6.24
4	6.51	6.00	20	6.18	6.22
5	6.49	6.02	21	6.16	6.26
6	6.47	6.04	22	6.14	6.28
7	6.45	6.05	23	6.12	6.30
8	6.43	6.07	24	6.10	6.31
9	6.41	6.09	25	6.07	6.32
10	6.39	6.10	26	6.05	6.34
11	6.37	6.11	27	6.03	6.35
12	6.34	6.13	28	6.01	6.37
13	6.32	6.14	29	5.59	6.38
14	6.30	6.16	30	5.57	6.40
15	6.28	6.17	31	5.55	6.41
16	6.26	6.19			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

MARCH

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1943.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1			8.47	8.9	17.10	2.8		
2			9.57	8.9	18.06	2.0		
3	3.52	7.9	6.04	7.6	11.17	8.8	18.55	1.8
4	4.05	7.9	7.08	7.7	12.18	8.6	19.42	1.8
5	2.22	7.9	8.01	6.5	13.18	8.7	20.26	2.1
6	3.20	8.0	8.39	5.8	14.16	8.4	21.09	2.5
7	3.47	8.1	9.37	5.1	15.17	8.0	21.50	3.3
8	4.18	8.2	10.28	4.6	16.11	7.8	22.33	4.1
9	4.53	8.3	11.18	4.2	17.12	7.1	23.14	4.9
10	5.29	8.3	12.10	3.9	18.21	6.6	[illegible]	5.7
11	6.02	8.2	13.09	3.6	21.35	6.7		
12	0.36	6.5	8.35	8.1	14.09	3.3	23.46	7.0
13	1.02	6.9	7.02	8.0	15.10	2.8		
14			7.45	7.9	16.11	2.4		
15	2.59	7.6	8.09	7.6	7.21	7.7	17.09	2.2
16	2.18	7.8	6.39	7.4	9.18	7.5	18.03	2.1
17	3.40	7.8	7.10	7.3	10.49	7.4	18.44	3.0
18	3.50	7.7	7.40	6.9	11.50	7.8	19.21	3.0
19	3.28	7.6	8.05	6.5	12.41	7.5	19.58	3.1
20	3.00	7.8	8.28	6.0	13.29	7.6	20.29	3.4
21	3.07	7.7	8.58	5.4	14.13	7.8	21.02	3.8
22	3.26	7.8	9.31	4.0	15.06	7.5	21.36	4.1
23	3.51	7.9	10.10	4.4	16.01	7.4	22.10	4.7
24	4.18	8.0	10.55	3.8	17.01	7.1	22.47	5.4
25	4.47	8.1	11.44	3.3	18.08	6.9	23.26	6.0
26	5.18	8.1	12.34	2.8	19.45	6.8		
27	0.03	6.5	5.44	8.2	13.28	2.5	22.05	7.1
28	0.44	6.9	6.06	8.2	14.28	2.3		
29	0.26	7.4	1.37	7.3	8.32	8.2	15.27	2.2
30	1.22	7.5	3.18	7.4	7.46	8.0	16.21	2.3
31	1.55	7.6	5.08	7.2	9.52	7.8	17.32	2.4

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

BACK TO BUGGY

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—The King's Messengers have gone back to the horse and buggy days. Bearers of state documents, they drive on their daily journeys from Buckingham Palace in a four-wheeled brougham which was in retirement at the Royal Mews.

According to Culbertson

Plays involving timing are far more difficult, if less spectacular, than other plays whose grandiloquent titles have caught the imagination of the public. Today's hand ably documents this point.

South, dealer
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ 6 5
♥ 7 4 2
♦ A 6 2
♣ A Q 8 5 3

WEST
♠ K Q J 7 4
♥ 10 6
♦ K J 8 5
♣ K 9

EAST
♠ 10 9 8
♥ Q J 9
♦ 10 9 7
♣ J 10 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A 3 2
♥ A K 8 5 3
♦ Q 4 3
♣ 6 4

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	1 ♠	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♥	2 ♠	3 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

West opened the king of spades, which was allowed to hold. The spade queen followed, and declarer won. A count of possible losing tricks must have been rather depressing to the declarer. He had already lost one spade, there was at least one sure trump loser, the diamond situation was far from encouraging, with two losers possible, and finally, there was the club finesse to be negotiated. Declarer figuratively rolled up his sleeves and went to work.

First, he resisted the natural impulse to ruff a losing spade in dummy—as will be seen, that ruffing entry would be of great value later, not at the third trick. Declarer's preliminary play was to lay down one high heart, then to take the club finesse. When the club queen held, an important milestone had been passed. Now another heart was led and won in the closed hand, after which declarer's remaining club was led to the ace. A low club was ruffed and now, at the right time, declarer's remaining spade was ruffed with dummy's last heart. Another club ruff followed, establishing dummy's fifth club, and at this point declarer was home. East now had the high trump and declarer only one low trump, but this was of no consequence. A diamond was led to the ace and dummy's fifth club was played. Obviously East was helpless. Whether or not he trumped with the heart queen, declarer would discard a diamond. As it happened, East chose to ruff with the heart queen and returned a diamond. Declarer had to lose one diamond, but his fifth heart produced the fulfilling trick.

It will be observed that if declarer had made any error in timing, such as ruffing the last spade at the third trick or playing three rounds of clubs before drawing West's trumps, the contract inevitably would have been lost.

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MADE IN CANADA

OLD DUTCH CLEANSER

Emily Poynton Weaver Dead

TORONTO, March 11 (CP).—Emily Poynton Weaver, well-known Canadian author, died at her home today after a long illness.

During the last forty years she has contributed short stories, articles and historical essays to Canadian, English and American magazines and newspapers and has had several books published.

Miss Weaver was a member of the Ontario Historical Society, the Canadian Authors' Association and for more than twenty years of the Canadian Women's Press Club.

"The Japanese are the toughest soldiers the world has ever known."—Captain Eddie Rickenbacker.

Government Reconstitutes Selective Service Board

Representation Now Given to Employers, Employees, Veterans and Farmers

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Labor Minister Mitchell announced tonight that the National Selective Service Advisory Board has been reconstituted by order in council, and Selective Service Director Arthur MacNamara will be chairman of the new board.

Its membership, Mr. Mitchell said, has been selected to give representation to organized labor, employers, veterans, farmers and Government departments interested in manpower problems.

Previously, the board consisted of members of the Inter-Departmental Committee on Labor Co-ordination and members of the National War Labor Board, together with other members designated by the Minister of Labor.

Reorganization of the National War Labor Board and incorporation of National Selective Service into the Department of Labor have made the present change necessary, Mr. Mitchell said.

Members of the new board follow:

Representing Labor — E. Ingles, London, Ont., of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers; A. R. Mosher, Ottawa, Canadian Congress of Labor; Gerald Picard, Quebec, Confederation of Catholic Workers of Canada; J. A. Bell, Toronto, Order of Railroad Telegraphers; W. Dunn, Toronto, Toronto District Labor Council.

Employers—A. Deschamps, Montreal Builder Exchange; George Hodge, Canadian Pacific Railway, [illegible] Gilbert Jackson, Sentinel Securities of Canada, Ltd.; Ivor Lewis, T. Eaton Company, Ltd.; H. Taylor, Canadian National Carbon Company, Ltd., all of Toronto.

Agriculture — P. D. MacArthur, Howick, Que.

Veterans—J. C. G. Herwig, Ottawa, Canadian Legion.

Government Departments — Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman; Dr. G. S. H. Barton, deputy minister of agriculture; Lt.-Col. G. S. Currie, deputy minister of defence; W. A. Mackintosh, special assistant to the deputy minister of finance; H. Carl Goldenberg, director-general of economics and statistics, Department of Munitions; Mrs. Rex Eaton, assistant director of Selective Service, Women's Division; Paul Goulet, C. P. Needham and A. E. Pequegnat, associate directors of Selective Service (Civilian); Maj.-Gen. H. J. Riley, Maj.-Gen. T. L. Tremblay, associate directors of Selective Service (Mobilization).

The board secretary will be W. J. Couper, special assistant to the deputy minister of labor. The board is charged with advising "the director of National Selective Service with reference to the utilization of manpower in the prosecution of the war and the administration and enforcement of these (i.e. National Selective Service, civilian) regulations."

The previous Inter-Departmental Committee on Labor Co-ordination now will cease to exist.

Fined Before Law Became Effective

MONTREAL, March 11 (CP). — Three Montrealers were arrested, pleaded guilty and were sentenced under military call-up regulations not effective at the time, police officials admitted here today.

The men, who paid $25 fines and were escorted to a military training camp, were arrested several days ago by police, who apparently did not know the deadline for registration of single men for military service had been advanced from March 1 to March 15. Neither the men nor the presiding judge had apparently heard of a change in the registration deadline.

"Frankly, I don't know what will be done," said a Royal Canadian Mounted Police official. "I suppose the three men can appeal for a refund of their fines?" He would not disclose their names or any other details.

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OBLIGATIONS TO POLICYHOLDERS, BENEFICIARIES, AND OTHERS	
Policy Reserves Required by Law This amount, together with future premiums and interest, is required to assure payment of all future policy benefits.	$5,188,714,637.87
Reserved for Future Payments Under Supplementary Contracts Policy proceeds from death claims, matured endowments and other payments left with the Company.	189,169,000.07
Dividends Left with the Company	30,301,837.94
Policy Claims Currently Outstanding	30,307,563.89
Other Policy Obligations	18,993,606.98
Taxes Due or Accrued	17,542,243.00
Miscellaneous Liabilities	18,083,549.37
Reserve for Mortgage Loans To provide against possible depreciation in value of such loans.	17,000,000.00
Reserved for Dividends to Policyholders Set aside for payment in 1943 to those policyholders eligible to receive them.	102,733,947.00
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS	$5,612,846,386.12

ASSETS WHICH ASSURE FULFILLMENT OF OBLIGATIONS	
Government Securities U. S. Government, $1,640,023,863.53; Canadian Government, $132,810,424.99.	$1,772,834,288.52
Other Bonds U. S. State and Municipal, $86,482,597.79; Canadian Provincial and Municipal, $92,268,974.32; Railroad, $527,015,597.35; Public Utilities, $818,347,218.79; Industrial and Miscellaneous, $510,191,509.68.	2,034,305,897.93
Stocks All but $320,750.00 are Preferred or Guaranteed.	81,805,186.00
First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate Farms, $89,380,287.45; Other Property, $863,051,414.58.	952,431,702.03
Loans on Policies	453,940,104.42
Real Estate Owned Includes $124,250,601.21 Housing Projects and real estate for Company use, and $71,670,999.46 real estate under contract of sale.	383,026,409.36
Cash	158,765,194.49
Premiums, Deferred and in Course of Collection, net	95,913,691.33
Interest and Rents Due and Accrued, etc.	61,893,102.50
TOTAL ASSETS TO MEET OBLIGATIONS	$5,994,915,576.58

SURPLUS FUNDS $382,069,190.46

The Company holds total assets which exceed the total of its obligations by $382,069,190.46, for the purpose of giving added assurance that all benefits to policyholders and beneficiaries will be paid in full as they fall due. This amount is composed of

Special Surplus Funds . . $12,300,000.00 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) . . $369,769,190.46

and serves as a margin of safety against possible unfavourable experience, whether due to war or other conditions.

NOTE—Assets carried at $271,804,055.40 in the above statement are deposited with various public officials under requirements of law or regulatory authority. Canadian business embraced in this statement is reported on the basis of par of exchange.

Life Insurance in Force, End of 1942 . $26,867,676,154

Paid-for Life Insurance Issued During 1942 . $2,051,813,903 Amount Paid to Policyholders During 1942 . $533,624,637.84

HIGHLIGHTS OF 1942 OPERATIONS IN CANADA

These highlights of the Company's business in the Dominion during 1942 will be of particular interest to Metropolitan Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries.

Investments in Canada:	
Dominion Government Bonds	$132,810,424.99
Provincial and Municipal Bonds	92,268,974.32
All other investments	104,000,070.81
	$329,079,470.12

Life Insurance in Force in Canada, end of 1942:	
Ordinary	$790,359,074
Industrial	482,800,803
Group	130,077,666
	$1,403,237,543

Included in the above figures are Victory and War Loan investments of $68,000,000.

Number of policies in force in Canada, end of 1942 — 2,783,201.

Payments to Canadian Policyholders and their beneficiaries during 1942—$26,897,409.49.

Paid-for Life Insurance issued in Canada during 1942—$157,022,928.

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I.C.A. Amendment Is Given Third Reading in House

Labor Measure Passes Without Opposition

Bill No. 30, an act to amend the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, and regarded as one of the most far-reaching pieces of legislation the House will deal with this session, eased through a second and third reading in the Legislature last night.

The bill was approved without opposition, section after section, with only one brief, sharp exchange between members across the floor of the House.

As the bill was finally passed, a delegation of labor representatives in the Speaker's Gallery expressed approval by tossing their hats in the air and stamping their feet. Members responded in the accepted fashion by banging their hands on their desks as the delegates filed out of the gallery.

The bill, introduced by Hon. G. S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, adds strength to the position of labor in collective bargaining, and has had the united support of labor organizations.

The exchange arose when A. J. Turner (C.C.F., Vancouver East) asked the definition of trade union in the case of a new union being formed.

"If the C.C.F. gets into power," volunteered T. D. Pattullo (Liberal, Prince Rupert), "there will be no trade unions because the C.C.F. would rule only by police power."

"After that expression of opinion," replied Harold Winch, "we can understand why his Government was thrown out."

"I had the honor of leading two Governments," countered the former Premier, "and we won by fighting. My honorable friend is making progress and if he would change his tactics he might get along faster."

"Gentlemen, we are considering important legislation," Premier Hart admonished. "This is no time for bickering."

The House then returned to consideration of the bill, advancing it rapidly, section by section, without question.

"Apparently I have taken all the steam out of the Opposition," said Mr. Pattullo as the measure passed without further interruption.

ESTIMATES APPROVED AND VOTES PASSED

Estimates for the Departments of Finance, Labor and Fisheries were approved and three votes of the Provincial Secretary's Department were dealt with during the afternoon and evening sittings.

Three bills, all minor measures, were introduced; four measures were given second and third readings; eight were given second reading, and nine were read a third time.

Measures introduced were acts to amend the Dewdney Dyking District Relief Act, the Sumas Drainage, Dyking and Development District Act, and the Dyking Assessments Adjustment Act, 1905.

Second readings were given the following:

The new Family Courts statute, sponsored by Attorney-General Maitland.

A measure extending the jurisdiction of certain magistrates under provincial statutes.

An amendment to the Civil Service Superannuation Act permitting long-service temporary employees to participate in that act by payment of back assessments. All employees on leave who return to work must continue in employment a year otherwise the Government will not refund its share of contributions to the fund during their absence.

Mothers' Allowance Amendment Act providing for allowances to children over sixteen and under eighteen for children living temporarily apart from mothers.

Amendment to Teachers' Pensions Act, correcting the wording in six clauses.

Bill amalgamating Shops and Regulations Act with Weekly Half-Holiday Act.

Amendment to Labor Act giving inspectors right to enter premises any time for purposes of inspection.

Amendment to Vital Statistics Act providing for registration of births, deaths and marriages of Indians.

In addition to the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, and the Purchasing Commission Bill, the Trustee Act and the Mutual Fire Insurance Companies Act were given second and third readings.

Bills receiving final reading included amendments to the Lunacy Act, Jury Act, Residence and Responsibility Act, a measure reinstating special timber licence No. 13,300 on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and a measure dealing with the staking for minerals on Indian reserves.

Cornwall Army Protests Game

MONTREAL, March 11 (CP).—Quebec Amateur Hockey Association officials announced tonight that Cornwall Army had protested the first game of their Quebec Senior Hockey League semi-final series with Ottawa Commandos, and that the protest would be discussed at a meeting here Saturday.

Cornwall, trailing Commandos 3-2, in the best-of-seven series claimed in the protest that Commandos used Gordie Bruce as a replacement for Ted Saunders in the first game of the series while Saunders was still available for play.

Bruce, formerly with Montreal Army, joined Commandos after a military transfer, while at the same time, Saunders was transferred to Montreal by the Army. Cornwall's claim is that Saunders had not left Ottawa when the first game was played and therefore was still available for Commandos and that use of Bruce as a replacement was contrary to the rules.

Ottawa won the first game of the series, 3-2, in overtime. Sixth game is scheduled for Ottawa tomorrow night.

Calgary Wins Vernon Series

VERNON, March 11 (CP).—Calgary Buffaloes won the Western Canada intermediate hockey championship by trouncing Vernon Military All-Stars, 9-2, here tonight before a crowd of about 1,600. Calgary won the first game, tied the second, lost the third and won again tonight to take the best-of-three series.

Buffaloes, an aggregation of former professional and senior veterans, won the Alberta title by defeating Edmonton R.C.A.F. No. 3 Manning Depot. Vernon reached the final by eliminating the Saskatchewan champions, Wilcox Notre Dame Hounds.

Doug Cairns was the leading point getter for Calgary tonight with three goals and two assists. Other Calgary goal scorers were Bill Hudson with two, Dave Dutchak, Ernie Ramsay, Pete Atkinson and Dan Sprout.

Vernon marksmen were Joe Wilford and Lefty Logue.

The British Columbia champions scored the first two goals of the game in little more than four minutes, but never got on the score sheet after that as Buffaloes ran up nine consecutive goals.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Vernon, Wilford (Pridfinnson), 1:30; 2, Vernon, Lefty Logue (Cunningham), 4:20; 3, Calgary, Hudson (Sprout, Dutchak), 9:37; 4, Calgary, Cairns (Sprout), 10:23. Penalties: Laviti, Peters.

Second Period—5, Calgary, Hudson (Cairns), 6:05; 6, Calgary, Dutchak, 16:22; 7, Calgary, Ramsay (Cairns), 18:13. Penalties: Peters, Hudson.

Third Period—8, Calgary, Atkinson (Dutchak), 13:52; 9, Calgary, Sprout (Hudson), 14:14; 10, Calgary, Cairns (Atkinson, Hudson), 19:00; 11, Calgary, Cairns, 19:30.

Ladysmith Council Has Busy Session

Fire-Alarm Siren Proposal Rejected

LADYSMITH, March 11 — The suggestion of the Ladysmith City Council to have a fire-alarm siren, worked by remote control from the office of the B.C. Telephone Company, was vetoed by the British Columbia Civilian Protection Committee, on the grounds that the siren could not be permitted to work during a state of war emergency. A system of remote control for a bell-system mechanism will be considered as an alternative alarm signal. The problem has arisen through the difficulty of obtaining permanent tenants for the fire-hall apartments controlling the present bell-tolling system.

Rev. C. J. Loat, chairman of the local Red Cross campaign, wrote asking the city's help in the drive for funds. The sum of fifty dollars was granted. A request from Dr. S. W. Baker, health officer, for a donation to help the Health Clinic, was referred to the finance committee.

Alderman W. Joyce submitted a comprehensive plan for public works for the current year. The plan was received for reference as work proceeds. A new power grader will be bought for city use, at a price of approximately $3,900.

Considerable discussion took place on the fuel problem and a notice of motion was submitted of an intention to introduce a by-law authorizing the City of Ladysmith to buy or sell wood and coal.

School Board estimates as resubmitted to the council called for the raising of $13,984.27 by local taxes, approximately twenty-five mills. This is one mill for school purposes less than last year. The school estimates were finally passed by the council.

Draft estimates for the city were considered as submitted by the finance committee, showing expenditures of $26,902 and revenue to the same amount based on 90 per cent collections. These estimates were adopted and the city general mill rate set at twenty, making a total with schools of forty-five mills. The general millage at twenty remains the same as last year.

City Clerk F. L. Kitto reported he had received a 412-name roll of honor scroll, beautifully lithographed, from the Department of National Defence. The council instructed that it be suitably inscribed with the names of those serving from this district and framed, and placed on public exhibition for a month before being hung in the Council Chamber.

Mayor Jameson congratulated Mr. Kitto, the city clerk, on his work in this connection.

FERNIE MAN FINED

FERNIE, B.C., March 11 (CP). — John J. Dufour, of Fernie, was fined $25 and costs on a charge of attempting to export currency at Kingsgate in excess of that authorized by the Foreign Exchange Control Board, and given suspended sentence on a charge of attempting to deceive a customs officer, following his conviction in police court yesterday. The offences were alleged to have occurred November 23.

QUESNEL, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Ernest Charles Zschiedrich, sixty-two, well-known Dragon Lake farmer, is dead here. Coming to Canada from Germany thirty-seven years ago he developed one of the finest farms in this district. He leaves his widow, two daughters and a son. Two brothers, Paul of Keresley, and John of Vancouver, also survive.

Eighty-Three Days on Life Raft in Sea

Caught Shark With Lasso—Ate Birds

MIAMI, Fla., March 11 (P).—The story of three men who survived eighty-three days on a life raft was told here by a United States Navy gunner who never gave up hope "because I knew God was with me all the way."

Daily prayers were answered, said Seaman Basil D. Izzi, twenty, of South Barre, Mass., by occasional rainstorms which provided water and by the birds and fish which were caught for food.

Although the navy has kept no official accounts of the number of days sailors or aviators have been adrift on life rafts during the war, navy officers expressed belief the eighty-three days of Izzi and his companions was a record.

Izzi, who lost fifty-eight pounds during the ordeal, and two Dutch merchant seamen were picked up by an American warship January 24 about 2,200 miles from the spot where their United Nations freighter was torpedoed, November 2, 1942, off the coast of South America.

Two others, Ensign James Maddox, of Lafayette, Ind., seaman, and George Beasley, of Hambleton, Mo., both of the United States Navy, died before the raft was found. Their bodies were dropped into the sea while Izzi and the Dutchmen mumbled prayers.

BELIEVE 135 OTHERS LOST

Maddox was commander of the gun crew on the vessel and Izzi was one of the gunners. Beasley was gunner on a ship which had been torpedoed earlier. Of the others 135 were feared lost.

Two torpedoes struck the ship and she sank rapidly.

"I jumped overboard," Izzi related. "For two days and nights I stayed afloat by holding to wreckage. Finally I sighted a raft with four men on it. They pulled me aboard."

On the raft with Maddox and the others were about ten gallons of water, nine cans of milk, a box of chocolate and a few dozen biscuits.

"The food lasted about sixteen days, although our water supply lasted until the twenty-fifth day," Izzi said.

"With the food gone, we started catching sharks, little fish and birds. We got the first shark, about four feet long, with a lasso.

CAUGHT SHARK BY THE TAIL

"The fish swam through the noose and we caught it by the tail.

"The birds—I think we caught about twenty-three of them—alighted on the raft because the sea was too rough for them to come down to the water."

"We prayed all day on Sundays," Izzi said, adding that on other days they prayed each evening.

After three weeks Beasley became ill, but lasted until the sixty-sixth day. Maddox died on the seventy-seventh day, after the little company had been out of water for five days.

"The next night it rained hard and we had water again, and we caught a big bird," Izzi recalled.

They saw an airplane the following day. On January 24 they sighted a convoy and signalled one of the escorting vessels.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. C. H. Willis, Crescent Road, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, in Vancouver.

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Mrs. C. E. Stockdill has returned to her home in Winnipeg after a stay of several weeks at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. P. A. Rayner, of the Department of National Defence for naval services, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Miss Catherine McCallum, a member of the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada in Nelson, is spending a three-week vacation in Vancouver and Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hobbs came over from Vancouver to attend the graduation of their son, Gerald, from Gordon Head on Wednesday. They are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Thornton Graham, Edmonton, has arrived in Victoria, and is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sommer, Wellington Avenue, for several weeks.

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Miss Maureen Denbigh, daughter of Mrs. Denbigh and the late Mr. W. Wade Denbigh, Vancouver, is being feted by her friends prior to leaving for England, where she will be married to Major Anthony Benn in London. Miss Denbigh has many friends in Victoria and is a frequent visitor here.

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Among the visitors to Victoria registered at the Empress Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. K. McCrae, Mr. K. W. McKean, of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Strickland, Saskatoon; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ellis, Brantford, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Edward, Sudbury, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Crocker; Colonel and Mrs. E. M. Thomson, Vancouver.

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Very enjoyable was the dance held last night at the Crystal Garden by the Dockyard Civil Service Social Committee, and attended by 250 guests. Medleys proved popular during the evening, and the committee in charge included Miss Vickie Lyle, Miss Lorraine Johnson, Miss June MacDonald and Messrs. Harry Carter, J. Commerford, Roy Brain, Noel Parker and Albert Lyle.

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Miss Mary Lawson, October Mansions, yesterday celebrated her eighty-second birthday, when her friends called to express their good wishes on the happy occasion. Miss Lawson was the recipient of a large number of letters, and birthday cards, and many "lovely flowers," as she expressed it. Miss Lawson was for many years in charge of the social welfare of the city, known as the Friendly Help, and it was through her work it became established on such a firm foundation that it was developed into the present very much extended organization.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Lamont, Telegraph Road, Keating, entertained recently at a tea party for the staff of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich. The table was covered with a lace cloth centred with a crystal bowl of daffodils and tall green tapers in crystal candelabra. The invited guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Pearce, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Beals, Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Petrie, Dr. and Mrs. A. McKellar, Dr. and Mrs. K. O. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cratters, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hutchinson, Mr. Walter Stilwell, Mr. H. Dukeman, Mrs. A. Bancroft, Miss E. Walker, Miss F. Wright and Miss E. Jones.

Her Villa Wrecked

ZARAH LEANDER

Glamorous Swedish film star, whose villa was hit and one wing destroyed in the giant R.A.F. thousand-ton bomb raid on Berlin. The fact that Zarah's home was hit would indicate that Babelsberg, ten miles outside Berlin city limits, also was hit by the British raiders. Babelsberg, the Hollywood of Europe, now is the originating place of countless Axis propaganda films. Zarah herself escaped injury, being in a bomb-proof shelter with guests at the time of the raid.

Present Picture of Governor Blanshard To Monterey School

Celebrating Blanshard Day, March 11, Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, presented a picture of Governor Blanshard to Monterey School yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. G. Wight, vice-factor, made the presentation to Captain F. G. Dexter; also on the platform was Mr. W. G. Gamble, inspector of schools.

Mrs. H. A. Beckwith gave an interesting talk on Governor Blanshard and showed slides of early Victoria. Both the speaker and the vice-factor received bouquets of flowers, and the attending members of the post, including Mrs. C. Davies, Mrs. G. Wight, Miss Ella Neelands, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. E. Kinsman, were given charming drawings of old Fort Victoria, the work of the school children.

Fat Regimental Cook (to excessively thin Tommy): "Looking at you, you blinking skeleton, anyone would think there had been a famine."

Tommy: "Yes, and one look at you would tell 'em who caused it!"

Parent-Teacher Associations

LANGFORD

The principles of the address given by Dr. J. M. Thomas, principal of Mount View High School and president of the Rural Teachers' Association on the [illegible] Situation of Education in British Columbia," with special reference to rural schools and educational finance were heartily endorsed at the meeting of the Langford Parent-Teacher Association on Wednesday evening. The secretary was asked to write to the local member of the Provincial Legislature stating that "in the opinion of the members of the Langford Association, in view of the fact that the estimates for educational purposes had been reduced by $600,000, the proposed special grant of $180,000 for certain educational purposes is entirely inadequate to meet the present needs in the province and the method of distribution is very unfair." A copy will be sent to Premier Hart and the Minister of Education. Prior to the address at the business meeting, Mrs. E. M. Oakley's resignation as first vice-president and Cub mistress was received with regret, and Mrs. A. Turner elected vice-president. Mrs. Bayles reported that sixteen Cubs had been invested with Miss Anne Nicholson as Cubmaster, assisted by Mrs. G. Kerr and Miss K. Willard. A letter from Miss M. Bartle, of Colwood, offering to take charge of the Girl Guides was read, and the school principal will be asked to see what girls can attend on Saturday afternoons. Mr. D. B. F. Bullen offered the use of the Scout Hall for the Guides. A proposal made by F. Staverman that the association endorse and help with a project for obtaining an adequate fuel supply for next year, and another for a community garden, will be discussed at the next meeting. Mrs. A. F. Bayles presided at the meeting. A donation was voted to the Red Cross.

Defence Too Weak

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incided with a heavy exchange of British and German long-range artillery on opposite sides of Dover Strait.

The cannonading, which was opened by British guns, lasted for about an hour and a quarter. Observers estimated the British guns were hurling three shells across the strait to the Germans' one.

Thus the round-the-clock assault on enemy territory was resumed after a one-night lull. During the day the R.A.F. raided German targets in France again while Nazi airmen retaliated with two stabs at scattered areas on this side of the Channel, one by night raiders who dropped high explosives and incendiaries on villages along the north-east coast.

NAZIS DEMOLISH SEVERAL HOUSES

The Air and Home Security Ministries' communique, reporting that German daylight raiders attacked two places on the southeast coast demolishing several houses and resulting in "some casualties," said one German plane was downed by anti-aircraft fire.

The Fighter Command attacked railway locomotives and other objectives in Brittany during the afternoon, the Air Ministry said in a communique, adding that other fighters on patrol duty downed two enemy fighter planes. One R.A.F. fighter failed to return, it said.

Among the targets reportedly hit by the R.A.F. were transformer stations at St. Harbot and Guerledan. Also destroyed were nine freight locomotives, three of them being knocked out on one line between Rennes and St. Brieuc.

MARKET SEAT HIGHER

NEW YORK, March 11 (CP). — A New York Stock Exchange membership was transferred today at $38,000, an increase of $2,000 over the previous transaction and the highest since December, 1940.

PROBABLY PRISONER

CHILLIWACK, B.C., March 11 (CP)—Belief in the safety of her son, Sub-Lieut. David Hazelton, reported lost in the Battle of the Java Sea a year ago, was rewarded yesterday when Mrs. D. Hazelton received a cablegram from the Admiralty announcing he was probably a prisoner of war.

Expresses Thanks

Mrs. Paterson of Salisbury, England, asks her many friends in Victoria to accept a message of affection and gratitude for their greatly valued messages at Christmas.

Honors for Brides-Elect

Miss Florence Bennett, whose marriage to Private Edward Seedhouse will take place in the near future, was guest of honor at a shower held recently by Miss Sue Good at her home, 2380 Foul Bay Road. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-elect and her mother. A box, prettily arranged in St. Patrick's Day colors filled with gifts, was presented to the bride. Games were played and the winners were [illegible] Bennett, Misses Dorothy Bailey and Eleanor Smith. Refreshments were served by the hostess and Miss D. Bailey. Guests were Miss Florence Bennett, Mrs. A. Bennett, Mrs. E. Seedhouse, Mrs. H. Marriage, Mrs. W. Good, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Marriage, Miss Edith Good and Miss D. Bailey.

Honoring Miss Doreen Kennelly, a popular bride-elect of this month, Mrs. S. W. Raven and Mrs. C. Ockenden were joint hostesses at a luncheon shower on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Raven, 8 Norman Court. The bride-elect and her mother were presented with corsage bouquets of carnations and iris. Table decorations were carried out in yellow and green, with the centrepiece a green bowl with daffodils, and yellow candles. After luncheon the gifts were presented to Miss Kennelly in a three-tier "wedding cake" filled with lovely linens. The guests were Mrs. T. Kennelly, Mrs. F. Kennelly, Mrs. F. Thomas, Mrs. H. Kidd, Mrs. M. Pollard, Mrs. L. Fane, Mrs. J. Margison and Mrs. A. Pellow.

Miss Joyce Carmichael, whose marriage to P.O. Todd A. MacKay, R.C.N.V.R., will take place this month, was the guest of honor on Wednesday evening when Miss Reta MacKay, who will be her bridesmaid, entertained at a miscellaneous shower. The party was held at the home of Mrs. A. M. MacKay, 1975 Foul Bay Road, the rooms being attractive with Spring flowers. Corsage bouquets of carnations were presented after the arrival of the guests; pink blooms for Miss Carmichael, and red ones for her mother, Mrs. A. G. Carmichael, and Mrs. A. M. MacKay, mother of the groom-elect. A model "battleship" made of crepe paper contained the pretty and useful gifts for the bride-to-be. A buffet supper was served at the close of the evening by the hostess. The guests were Mrs. A. G. Carmichael, Mrs. A. M. MacKay, Mrs. C. A. Rawlings, Mrs. A. D. MacLeod, Mrs. S. Hulford, Mrs. J. Freer, Mrs. E. Ferriday, Mrs. S. Britt, Mrs. R. Lanceley, Mrs. R. Patterson, Mrs. J. Layfield, Mrs. E. Wilkinson, Mrs. R. Hebden, Misses Enid Bates, Adele Murdoch and Doreen MacKay.

What Today Means

PISCES

If March 12 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 9 to 11 p.m. The danger periods will be from 9 to 11 a.m., from 7 to 9 p.m. and from 11 p.m. until midnight.

Careless talk on your part may involve some innocent person in a peck of trouble on March 12, so be careful about what you say. Trusting to luck, instead of careful planning, will be a poor way to get successful results in either home or office work. Too many people will expect subordinates to read their minds and then will be disappointed when their wishes have not been anticipated, so the wise employer must leave nothing to chance and should issue specific instructions. Only through orderly procedure will the best results be possible, for conditions will cause hit-and-miss methods to create confusion and endless trouble. Married and engaged couples, as well as those engrossed in thoughts of love, will find it conducive to their future happiness to keep constantly in mind that "After the verb 'to love,' 'to help' is the most beautiful verb in the world!"

If you are a woman and March 12 is your birthday, endeavor to overcome any tendency you have to resent suggestions, especially when they are made in the desire to be helpful. Avoid giving others the impression that you are cold and unresponsive to demonstrations of affection, unless it is some person who has no right to pay you undue attention. An eye for artistic effects should cause you to be considered clever at interior decorating or table arranging. As an interior decorator, florist, restaurant operator, business manager, window dresser, artist, physician, writer, commercial photographer, teacher, purchasing agent, broker, demonstrator, trained nurse, dietitian, secretary, librarian, or aiding in war production, your results probably will surprise and gratify you. You ought to possess all the qualifications needed to make your married life ideal.

The child born on March 12 usually possesses marked versatility and a genius for doing the right thing at the proper time. Fate seems determined to give children born on this date every opportunity to climb to the topmost rung of the ladder of success.

If you are a man and March 12 is your natal day, depend on perspiration rather than inspiration to get best results. You will have to earn that which you receive but consistently good, hard work on your part should enable you to achieve splendid results. As a zoologist, scientist, chemist, manufacturer, promoter, contractor, skilled mechanic, engineer, clergyman, lecturer, author, war correspondent, editor, publisher, doctor, lawyer, painter, horticulturist, agriculturist, sales representative, merchant, or waging war on our country's enemies, your chances for achieving success appear to be unlimited.

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Greer Garson (Mrs. Miniver) Wins Coveted "Oscar"

GREER GARSON — JAMES CAGNEY — TERESA WRIGHT

The coveted "Oscar," a symbolic statuette, award of the Motion Picture Academy, goes to Greer Garson, this year, for her role in "Mrs. Miniver," a picture which won most of the other Oscars, and was judged the best film of 1942. Teresa Wright, who played in support of Miss Garson in the film, took the secondary award. James Cagney was named best actor of the year for his work in "Yankee Doodle Dandy."

Little Stories for Bedtime - - -

By Thornton W. Burgess

It's not enough to simply know
What to do or not to do;
It's doing or not doing it
The good or evil brings to you.

Sammy Jay always had known this, but he never realized how very true it is until he heard Old Man Coyote's story of the trouble that a little carelessness got him into. Old Man Coyote had admitted to Sammy that the reason he had not stayed in the great, wide, wonderful west where his home had once been, and which he now seemed to think was so much better than the Green Meadows, was because he had been caught in a trap and taken away against his will. It was hard work for Sammy to believe that, for hadn't he seen Old Man Coyote find and dig up all the traps set by Farmer Brown's Boy, traps so cunningly hidden that they would have caught any one else of whom Sammy could think?

Old Man Coyote saw right away how hard it was for Sammy to believe that that was true. It flattered him. Like most people he enjoyed having his neighbors think him smart. But something inside him urged him to tell Sammy the truth, even though afterward Sammy might not think him so smart.

"I was careless," said he. "I knew about traps. Yes, sir, I knew almost as much about them as I do now, but I was careless. And that goes to show that it isn't always how much we know; but what use we make of what we know that counts. My mother had taught me all about traps. She had taken me where they were set and showed me just how to find them and dig them out without getting caught. We used to do it just for fun, and then eat the bait that was left there. I was young then and strong-headed. It is a bad thing to be strong-headed!" Old Man Coyote shook his head mournfully.

"After a while I thought I knew it all," he continued, "and that I hadn't anything to learn. Having learned all about traps, excepting how they felt, and that I had no desire to know" (Old Man Coyote grinned as he said this) "I wasn't afraid of them, and used to laugh at the man who set them. The more he tried to catch me the more I laughed at him. I could always tell when he had a gun, and I knew just how far it would shoot. When he had that with him I kept out of his way, but when he didn't have it with him I used to just barely get out of his way.

"Then one day he came after me with a dog, a dog with the longest, slimmest legs I ever did see. My, how that dog could run! I had thought I could run faster than anybody else, but when that dog started after me I began to think that I couldn't run at all. Not that I was afraid. Oh, my, no! All I wanted was to get beyond the reach of that terrible gun and then I would take care of that dog and fix him so that he never would run after another coyote. But when he caught up with me he wouldn't fight. Being faster than me he kept out of my reach, but the minute I tried to run he was at my heels, snapping and making me think he was going to jump on me from behind. So every few minutes I would have to stop and try to make him fight. All the time his master with the terrible gun kept getting nearer and nearer.

"Snap! There I Was Caught by One Leg."

"By and by I saw that the only way I could get rid of them was to go into my house, and so I started for there so fast that that dog didn't have time to do any snapping at my heels; it took all his breath to keep up. Now I was so busy trying to keep an eye on that dog that I forgot all about traps, and yet I knew that there were some set around my home. It was just carelessness, plumb foolishness, that led me straight into one of them. Snap! There I was caught by one front leg! Of course, it hurt dreadfully and frightened me more, and I danced around. Snap! Another trap had me by the hind leg! Carelessness, nothing but carelessness, that took me away from my old home in the great, wide, wonderful west."

Old Man Coyote sighed, and Sammy Jay waited in vain for him to speak again.

Next Story: How It Feels to Be Caught in a Trap.

(Released by The Associated Newspapers)

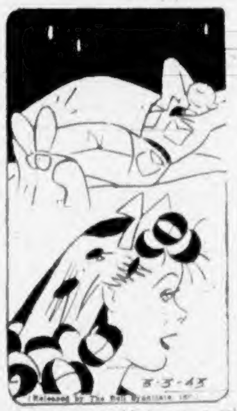
"I 'ear yer old man's gone in the navy," said Mrs. Bulbus.

"Yes, 'e 'as," replied Mrs. Thinly.

"An' what's 'e a-doin' there?" asked her neighbor.

"What's 'e a-doin'?" said Mrs. Thinly grimly. "'E's mine-sweepin,' that's what 'e's doin,' and 'e'll 'ear a piece of my mind when 'e gets 'is leave. Not in all these years, 'as 'e ever took a broom in 'is 'and to help me!"

Witty Kitty



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The gay young blade says a soldier's life is everything but the life of Riley.

Women's Institutes

BRENTWOOD W.I.

The Brentwood Women's Institute held a meeting at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, with Mrs. W. Dempster in the chair. Committees reported several visits made to sick members and 133 articles made by the members for the Institute Red Cross. The usual donation will be given to the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society for prizes at the Fall Fair. Letters of thanks were read by the secretary from the Salvation Army and the Aid to Russia Fund for donations. The annual Irish tea and bridge party will be given by the directors of the Institute on Wednesday afternoon, March 17, at the hall. A bridge party will also be held on Wednesday afternoon, March 31. A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Sturrock for issuing the new ration books. A social hour was spent and tea served by Mrs. T. Faddon and Mrs. W. O. Wallace. The special prize was won by Mrs. R. Ronson.

SOOKE AND NORTH SOOKE

Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute meeting was held recently at the home of Mrs. D. Lavender. The president expressed her appreciation to Mr. D. De Rochie for taking charge of the ration book distribution centre and also thanked the following helpers: Mrs. L. McRae, Mrs. R. Soule, Mrs. George Mitchell, Mrs. W. Shields, Mrs. D. Lavender, Mrs. W. Conder, Mrs. M. Gale, Mrs. Pimlott, Miss E. Anderton, Miss B. Woolley, Mrs. F. C. Rumsby and Mrs. De Rochie. Report on February dance proved it a financial success and the following committee volunteered to take charge of the dance to be held on April 3, Mrs. O. Frederickson, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Lavender, Mrs. W. Conder and Mrs. W. Cains. The sum of $7.50 will be donated to the head office of the Girl Guides to help with operating expenses, and a motion was also passed to pay the local Girl Guides insurance for another year. Mrs. Lavender and Mrs. Conder agreed to take charge of entertainments for the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Wilson on April 2. A quiz contest was won by Mrs. Conder and Mrs. Crawford and winners in the game were Mrs. K. Cains, Mrs. Payne and Mrs. De Rochie. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

COLWOOD

Mrs. V. S. McLachlan, superintendent of women's institutes, will speak on handicrafts at the monthly meeting of the Colwood Institute next Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at the Colwood Hall.

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Clubs and Societies

Liberal Women's Forum

There will be two speakers at the regular meeting of the Liberal Women's Forum today at 2:45 p.m.

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W.A. to Air Services

A meeting in the form of Guest Day was held yesterday at the Y.W.C.A. when several new members were welcomed. Mrs. Lorne Campbell, president, was in the chair. From Ottawa word was received that the "Names Quilt" will be in Victoria on June 20, under the sponsorship of local auxiliaries.

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W.A. to Channel Islands

Members were delighted to receive a quilt sent by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Empire Ministry at a meeting yesterday afternoon. It was reported clothing has been sent to Channel Island children in England. Mrs. E. Renouf has presented a handsome blanket, which will be the prize for a contest.

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Margaret Irvine Mission Circle

The Margaret Irvine Mission Circle met recently at the home of Miss Ruth Burwash, Thistle Street, with Miss Peggy Webster presiding. Mrs. A. Knapp led the devotional period taking as her theme "Greatness of Gentleness." Plans were discussed for further projects of the circle. Refreshments were served, and Miss Barbara Dawson moved a vote of thanks to Miss Ruth Burwash on behalf of the girls. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Edna Raper, Cedar Hill Road, on Wednesday, April 14.

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Comitas Club

Miss Jessie McLenaghin, supervisor, Department of Home Economics for British Columbia, chose as the subject of her address to the Comitas Club, "Some Factors in the Development of Good Taste." Members and guests met for the occasion at the home of Mrs. H. P. Johns, 850 Richmond Avenue.

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Community Club

The Esquimalt Community Club held a meeting at the Esquimalt United Church Hall, recently, with the president, Mrs. McVie, in the chair. Several new members were welcomed by the president, in the absence of Mrs. Patterson, the welcoming convener. A Valentine tea held during the month realized over $6. During the month, Mrs. T. Jennings was the recipient of a gift of Eau de Cologne before leaving for Vancouver to join the C.W.A.C. Plans are well advanced for a concert to be held at the Esquimalt United Church Hall, Monday, April 5, at 7:45 p.m., the regular meeting to be canceled. Members of Miss Nellie Small's Pirouette Troupe and members of the R.A.F. "Smile Show" will be present.

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Native Daughters of B.C.

Post No. 3, Native Daughters of British Columbia, held a meeting at the Sons of England Hall, with the chief factor, Mrs. Ralph Cruickshank, in the chair. A report was given by Mrs. J. C. Newbury on the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, followed by a report by Miss E. Neelands on the work of the post in connection with the sewing of British Bundles. Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, the post's representative on the centenary committee, gave an interesting account of the last meeting of that committee. Nomination of officers took place and delegates were elected to attend Grand Post meetings at Ladysmith, on April 30 and May 1. Mrs. G. Wright and Mrs. C. Davies were elected as delegates. The next sewing meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Kinsman, 1959 Brighton Street, on the evening of March 24, at 8 o'clock.

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Business-Industrial Girls

The theme for discussion at the recent annual meeting of the Business and Industrials Girls of the Y.W.C.A. was "Our Job — The Nation's Business." Miss Joy Harness, president of the Interclub Council, presided. In developing the theme, several girls spoke on their jobs in relation to the war effort. Sergeant Kerley talked about the Canadian Women's Army Corps; Corporal Barker-Benfield, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), discussed the work in her service; Miss Helen Fulton, an electrician in the shipyards, revealed another side of women's work in this war; as did Miss Joy Harness, of the dispatch end of the post-office. Mr. Douglas Plintoff then showed moving pictures of girls working in airplane factories and other vital industrial plants. Earlier in the evening the girls gathered for recreation with Miss Marjorie Crowe, and for a sing-song with Miss Louise Noble and Mrs. Gladys Prior. Special guests for the evening included Mrs. G. A. Johnson, of the girl's work committee; and Mrs. May B. Cushing, general Y.W.C.A. secretary.

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St. Mary's W.A.

St. Mary's Senior Afternoon W.A. met on Thursday in the parish hall; the president, Mrs. A. A. Bengough presiding. Following prayers, led by the president, the Bible reading was taken by Mrs. H. A. Barnett. The president regretted the absence through sickness of many members. Mrs. Moe, a visitor from Vancouver, was welcomed, also a new member Mrs. William Mitchell. The corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. D. Nevill, in her report, mentioned hearing from a life member, Mrs. K. E. Guillod, who was a member of the first branch of the W.A. to be formed outside of Victoria at Alberni, where Mrs. Guillod was president of the branch for twelve years. Mrs. H. C. Corbett, junior superintendent, reported activity among the juniors. The wool convener, Mrs. G. V. Jarvis, reported several gifts of wool from the members. After some discussion it was decided to sell by auction the quilt given by Mrs. H. A. Barnett and forward the proceeds to Chinese Medical Aid in Honan, China. Following the business Mrs. England gave a report on the recently held diocesan annual meeting.

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Red Cross Stretches Helping Hand

Aid to Allies is one of the most important functions performed by the Canadian Red Cross. Goods and services to the value of millions of dollars have been shipped to Russia, China, Poland, Greece and other countries. Above scene shows why Canadian Red Cross food and other comforts are so necessary in Greece today.

From Europe

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known as the Brown House, where Hitler and his Brown Shirt colleagues slaughtered.

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General Montgomery describes the Nazis in Tunisia as caught like rats in a trap. Recent attack at the Mareth Line by Rommel's forces says the Eighth Army commander is one more step forward towards the end of the war in North Africa. Sand storms and rain for the time being have brought to a standstill all major activity by both the First and Eighth Armies.

Editorially The Times says the Government is about to set up an air transport command which, while military for the duration of the war, will affect civil flying thereafter by stimulating production of transport aircraft. Britain has no desire to embark on any effort comparable to that of the United States as an Allied air carrier for the United Nations during the war.

Afterwards the best hope of avoiding "air imperialism" will be the creation of a world authority assuring freedom of the skies and exercising responsibility on behalf of the United Nations on all matters of international air transport. International control of civil aviation is inseparable from an international organization with military power in the air. Nothing could be worse than a return to a policy of "closed skies" and unregulated international competition.

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British troops who fought in Crete twenty-one months ago are still holding out in the mountains with Greek patriots. Axis troops which control coastal areas are afraid to venture into the interior. Because of broadcasts from Britain, Cretons know the Allies are gaining victories. Most Axis air forces have been withdrawn from the island.

Bulgaria, Hungary and Rumania have suddenly developed a remarkable love for the Turks. Mysterious groups from these countries are arriving in Ankara and professing to be pro-Ally and talking peace. They are getting nowhere. British war supplies for Turkey have been speeded up.

Soviets Kill 1,500

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375-mile Winter drive from Stalingrad on the Volga.

On the Central Front, however, the Red Army continued to advance, its columns threatening the imminent encirclement of Vyazma, German base 130 miles west of Moscow, and cutting across the bleak steppes directly toward Smolensk, 100 miles beyond Vyazma.

Russian troops were reported officially within fifteen miles of Vyazma on the southeast, advancing up the railway from Kaluga. North of the exposed Nazi base other Russian columns driving down from Sychevka captured dozens of hamlets during the day, wiped out 2,000 German troops, captured fourteen tanks, eight guns, twenty-six mortars, forty-two machine guns, 30,000 cartridges and two ammunition dumps, and destroyed fourteen artillery guns and other material.

Seventy miles northwest of Vyazma other Red Army columns, striking down toward the Vyazma-Smolensk railway in an effort to seal off the Vyazma garrison, captured sixteen localities and killed 600 enemy troops.

HAND-TO-HAND FIGHTING REPORTED

Hand-to-hand fighting was reported in this area which is only eighty miles northeast of the German Central Front anchor of Smolensk.

Russian guerrillas operating behind the German lines in the Smolensk area itself were said to have killed 100 Germans and derailed four Nazi trains carrying troops to the front.

Marshal Timoshenko's troops attacking north of the Central Front in the area south of Lake Ilmen were reported within fifteen miles of Staraya Russa. German Sixteenth Army headquarters protecting the approaches to the Smolensk-Leningrad railway, but the midnight Moscow bulletin did not announce any further details of that battle.

The Germans said the Russian offensive force in that area "has been exhausted."

In the Western Caucasus the Russians said that fighting around Krasnoarmeiskaya, northeast of Novorossisk, had resulted in the killing of 400 Germans and the capture of 315 trucks, ten tractors, 570 freight cars, seventeen locomotives and other equipment.

CRITICAL FIGHT FOR RUSSIANS

But the great fight for Kharkov was a critical one for the Russians. The Germans seized the industrial and communications hub for Southern Russia during their original 1941 invasion, and used it as a base in the crushing drive last Summer to Stalingrad.

Four months after the Russian counter-drive began at Stalingrad the Red Army retook Kharkov and hurriedly began converting it for expected Nazi counter-attacks in the Spring.

In the last few weeks the Germans, regrouped and reinforced, began a counter-push from their bases along the Dnieper River and recovered approximately 100 miles of lost ground to threaten Kharkov itself.

Observers saw a possibility that the Russians now might fight amid Kharkov's ruins as they did at Stalingrad. Possession of the city is vital to future plans of both sides in the approaching Spring.

Martyr Is Paid Highest Tribute

LONDON, March 11 (CP)—Frans Tromp was an editor of an underground anti-Nazi newspaper in Holland.

He was a cripple but this did not prevent him from discharging his self-imposed duties of collecting information that the Germans sought to hide and publishing it for the benefit of his oppressed compatriots.

On March 8, 1942—his birthday—the Gestapo caught up with him. He was held in prison until last October. Finally he was executed.

But shortly afterwards the underground paper appeared again with an issue paying unusual tribute to Tromp. Copies of that issue reached London today through secret channels.

The tribute said:

"Though he knew much, he never told the Huns — those cowardly usurpers of his beloved country — anything, despite prolonged torture. He kept silent, protecting his friends from that fate that had overtaken him, covering their retreat with his life . . .

"Neither shining decorations nor noble titles adorn his name. He lived in beautiful simplicity and died in the same way, a hero with the deep-hidden bravery of a truly great and noble man."

French Guerrillas

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coal to Italy and twenty-two trucks were destroyed. From these operations our guerrillas and partisans withdrew without loss.

"Signed, the High Command of French Guerrillas and Partisans."

The earlier communique announced the killing of 282 German officers and men, the partial or entire wrecking of fourteen trains, the destruction of ninety-four locomotives and 436 coaches. The partisans also claimed to have blown up four bridges, destroyed twelve trucks, wrecked ten labor exchanges or "Doriotist" buildings and to have destroyed 1,000 tons of fuel and requisitioned food during the month.

Moreover, the guerrillas said they had killed ten "informers of French nationality."

De Gaulle's headquarters explained that the guerrillas were "spare-time fighters." The partisans were said to be "outlaws who live in hiding and devote their whole time to attacking the enemy."

Sir John Anderson, Lord President of the Council, has announced that officers of British women's services will receive an increase of $45.40 in the outfit allowance payable on appointment to commission rank.

DO YOU HATE TO GET UP in the MORNING?

Doesn't it feel swell to wake up in the morning clear-eyed, refreshed, just rarin' to go? Yet so many people, especially over 40, get up tired all-over, never really feel their best.

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Women's Committee of Red Cross Drive "Goes Over Top"

Total Reaches $76,385.74—Campaign May Continue All Month

The residential division of the Red Cross campaign, headed by Miss Sara Spencer, and an enthusiastic committee of women has "gone over the top," in the words of an executive of the campaign at headquarters, 909 Government Street, late last night. The quota for this division was $20,000, and yesterday the total was $20,359.43, with receipts for the day amounting to $1,091.46.

Members of the executive committee have agreed not to close the campaign until the objective has been attained. The Government granted permission for the entire month of March to be devoted to the Red Cross campaign, and so there is still time for delayed individual or group subscriptions to be made.

Total of the campaign now amounts to $76,385.74, with receipts for yesterday amounting to $4,190.82. Different divisions reported the following amounts: Special names division, total $34,965, yesterday $1,375; business division, total $7,737.68, yesterday $258.82; industrial-commercial division, total $4,869.01, yesterday $452.95; service division, total $3,691.73, yesterday $427.50; hotel division, $2,233.20, yesterday $69.05; outside division, total $2,429.69, yesterday $816.04.

Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, No. 7, was one of yesterday's outstanding donors with a cheque for $750.

Donations have been received from: Selkirk Lumber Co., $50; H. B. Olson, Arena (Victoria), Ltd., $50; Rudolf Gutmann, $50; Mrs. B. Wilson, $25; Mr. and Mrs. W. Morton Paterson, $200; Williams, Trerise & Williams, $25; Ryan-Wilson, Ltd., $25; Woolworth While Club, $25; Boultbee (Victoria), Ltd., $20; Crane, Ltd., $100; Standard Oil, Ltd., $50; Metropolitan Stores, $40; B.C. Packers, Ltd., $50; Pacific Salvage, Ltd., $100; Island Tug & Barge, Ltd., $100; Victoria Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, No. 17, $10; Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion, $1,000; Canadian Industries, Ltd., $150; Anonymous, $350; Anonymous, $10; A. L. Taylor, $25; G. H. Stevens, $40; Canadian Legion Britannia Branch, No. 7, $750; Neon Products of Canada, $25; Burns & Co., Ltd., $150; Davis Drake, Ltd., $25; Mrs. A. E. Cotton, $100; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore, $250; A. C. Burdick, $100; Canadian Industries, Ltd., $600; A. T. Goward, $100; Miss H. Leighton, $10; Mount View High School, Students' Council, $100; D. J. McLean, $100; W. Merston, $10; Pacific Furniture Co., $50; Mrs. E. G. Prior, $10; Miss L. B. Smethurst, $10; Sprott-Shaw Schools, $25; Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, $30.

COSTLY RED TAPE

ST. LOUIS, March 11 (AP)—Daniel F. Kelly, now a sailor in the navy, paid more than $40 in state income tax before enlisting last September, but he made a mistake computing his return. The state sent two letters demanding an additional tax, so his mother, Mrs. John J. Kelly, spent 20 cents carfare to make the delinquent payment of 2 cents—and it cost the state 6 cents postage to collect it.

Donations to Red Cross and St. John Fund since 1939 amount to £17,787,836 ($90,092,262) in Britain and services to prisoners of war alone cost the war organization more than £4,500,000 ($20,250,000) a year.

Red Cross Responsible for Blood Bank

PTE. Chris Ellis, of Toronto, badly burned and shocked during a bombing raid overseas, receives a blood serum transfusion in a Canadian military hospital in England. Major S. D. Gordon, Toronto, administers the transfusion, assisted by Lieut. (Nursing Sister) E. R. Campbell, Edmonton. The dried blood serum, collected and processed in Canada through the Canadian Red Cross, is bottled and packed in the airtight tins shown on the bedside table and sent overseas where it is available for Canadian and British servicemen. Supplies have also gone to Malta, Libya, Egypt and other Middle East theatres of war. Canadian blood serum released through the Canadian Red Cross also saved the lives of thousands of British civilians injured in the Battle of Britain.

Take Heavy Toll

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operations over the Mareth Line area.

Gafsa is Rommel's western flank base above the Chott Djerid. Between that pivot and Gabes on the coast the Axis is strongly entrenched and the Mareth Line lies to the south. The Mareth fortifications of concrete pillboxes and barbed wire entanglements extend only forty miles in from the coast, however, and the British Eighth Army apparently was actively engaged in skirting that line in their westward push to Ksar Rhilane.

In the air attacks on El Aouina and La Marsa airdromes near Tunis the Allied bombardiers planted bombs all over the ports, and three direct hits were observed on parked aircraft and ten others were left burning.

Bomber crews bagged six of the eight Nazi fighters who sought to intervene, and fighters accounted for the other two.

Medium bombers, escorted by fighters, were used in the raid on Gafsa, where the French ground forces are closing in. A communique said "many hits were seen on the target."

On the central front there were only patrol activities and aerial fighter sweeps.

"One of our aircraft is missing from all these operations," the communique said.

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Frosst Neo-Chemical Food—144-day treatment	$4.45
Frosst Neo-Chemical Capsules—50's	$1.25
Frosst Neo-Chemical Capsules—100's	$2.25
Vi Syneral Capsules—Adult, 25-day treatment	$3.50
Vi Syneral Capsules—Special for people over 50 years	$4.90
Ayerst Alphamettes—25's	$1.00
Ayerst Alphamettes—100's	$3.50
Parke-Davis Abdol Improved Capsules—50's	$2.00
Parke-Davis Abdol Improved Capsules—100's	$3.45
Parke-Davis Haliver Oil Capsules—50's	95¢
Parke-Davis Haliver Oil Capsules—100's	$1.55
Parke-Davis Natola Capsules—50's	$1.25
Squibb's Adex Tablets—80's	$1.00
Squibb's Adex Tablets—250's	$2.39
Squibb's A.B.D. & G. Capsules—25's	$1.00
Squibb's A.B.D. & G. Capsules—100's	$3.10
Horner Becol Capsules—25's	$1.80
Horner Becol Capsules—50's	$3.00
Horner Adacaps—25's	90¢
Horner Adacaps—100's	$3.00
Vanex Halibut Oil Capsules—50's	75¢
Vanex Halibut Oil Capsules—100's	$1.25
Vitamin Plus Capsules	$1.50
Vitamin Plus Capsules	$2.75
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Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—Stocks turned the rallying corner on full speed today as investment demand revived sufficiently to put market leaders up fractions to two or more points, many at new tops for 1943 or longer.

Hesitancy ruled at the start but selling was never urgent and, by mid-day, bids for steels, rubbers and specialties spread to other departments. Closing quotations were around the day's peaks.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was up .5 of a point at 46.4, or only .1 under the best mark since November, 1940, established last week. Transfers totaled 1,429,710 shares compared with 928,950 Wednesday.

In the "new high" division were Pullman, Texas & Pacific Railway, Erie and Erie Certificates, Texas Co., Paramount Pictures, Bath Iron Works, Dresser Mfg., Pepsi-Cola, Alleghany Prior Preferred, Allied Chemical, Owens-Illinois, Goodyear, Goodrich and Woolworth.

Prominent on the advance were U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Santa Fe, Great Northern, Southern Pacific, U.S. Rubber, J. I. Case, Philip Morris, U.S. Gypsum, Oliver Farm, Du Pont and Climax Molybdenum.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Industrials, 130.48, up 1.32.
Rails, 32.15, up .26.
Utilities, 17.61, up .30.
Total sales, 1,429,000.

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	Close
Allied Chemicals	155
American Can	78¼
American Tobacco	83½
American Smelter	41⅜
American Tel. & Tel.	142¾
Anaconda Copper	26⅛
Atchison Topeka	50⅞
B. & O. Railway	6⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	16
Bendix Aviation	37
Bethlehem Steel	67½
Boeing Aircraft	18
Borden	24
Borg Warner	30½
C.P.R.	8
Cerro de Pasco	37½
C. & O. Railway	40⅝
Chrysler	72¾
Con. Edison	18¼
Cont. Can	30
Crucible Steel	35⅜
Curtiss-Wright	8½
Douglas Aircraft	63
Dupont	143½
Eastman Kodak	153
Flintkote	18½
General Foods	37½
General Electric	35
General Motors	48¼
Goodrich B.F.	30⅝
Goodyear Tire	30½
Great West Sugar	28½
Great Northern	26¼
Howe Sound	35½
Intl. Harvester	64¼
Intl. T. & T.	7½
Intl. Nickel	33½
Kennecott Copper	32¾
Montgomery Ward	36⅝
Nash Kelvinator	8½
New York Central	13¼
Penn. Railway	20⅞
Phillips Pete.	48
Pullman	33
Radio	7¼
Republic Steel	16⅞
Reynold's Tobacco	28
Safeway Stores	36¼
Standard Oil N.J.	50
Sears Roebuck	65½
Studebaker	10
Southern Pacific	20½
Texas Corpn.	46⅞
Texas Gulf	35
Union Carbide	87½
Union Oil, Cal.	16¼
Union Pacific	80
United Aircraft	33½
U.S. Rubber	31½
U.S. Steel	53½
Westinghouse Electric	85
Western Union	33½
Woolworth	34
Yellow Cab	15¼
U.S. Smelting	46
Zenith Radio	24½

Stocks and Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	147	148
B.A. Oil	19	19½
B.C. Power "A"	25½	26
Burlington Steel	9¾	10½
Can. Car & Fdry. Pfd.	28	28
C.P.R.	8⅞	9
Common Imp. Mills		25
Con. Mining & Smelting	41	42
Cons. Paper	3⅞	[illegible]
Dominion Bridge		26
Dom. Steel & Coal "B"	8⅞	9
Ford of Canada "A"	21½	22
Gatineau Pwr. 5% Pfd.	81½	82
Goodyear Tire	72	77
Imperial Oil	12⅞	
Imperial Tobacco		10⅝
Int. Metal Indust. 6% Pfd.	97	98
Int. Metal Indust. "A"		15½
Int. Nickel	37½	37¾
Int. Petroleum	17½	17⅝
Montreal L. H. & Pwr.	24½	25½
Moore Corpn.	46½	48
Nat'l. Steel Car	46⅞	47½
Shawinigan W. & P.	16	17½
Steel of Canada	64	65
Hiram Walker G. & W.	49½	50
Bank of Montreal	151	153
Royal Bank	136	138
Can. Bank of Commerce	138	138
Aluminum 5% Pfd.	101	101½
Noranda	43	44

RATES UNCHANGED

MONTREAL, March 11 (CP).—British and foreign exchange, nominal rates between banks only: Unchanged. (Compiled by the Royal Bank of Canada.)

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	96⅞	97⅛	96⅞	97⅛
July	97⅛	97⅜	97⅛	97⅜
Barley—				
May	..	..	..	b64⅝
July	..	..	..	b64¼
Oats—				
May	..	..	..	b51⅛
July	..	..	..	b51¼
Rye—				
May				[illegible]
July	..	..	..	[illegible]

Cash Grain

	Close
Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern	96½
No. 2 Northern	93½
No. 3 Northern	90½
Track	96½
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	50
Track	50½
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	62
Track	62
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	65⅝
Track	65½

CHICAGO GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	146⅝	147	146¼	146⅝
July	147½	147½	146⅞	147
Sept.	148⅞	149	148⅛	148½
Corn—				
May				100
July				100½
Sept.				100⅞
Oats—				
May	62½	62⅞	61⅞	61⅞
July	61⅞	62⅛	61⅜	62
Sept.	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛	61⅛
Rye—				
May	87⅞	88½	87⅞	88½
July	90⅜	91⅛	90⅜	90⅞
Sept.	92½	93⅛	92½	93

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	3 %	1943	101.75	102.15
"	4½ %	1944	104.50	105.50
"	4 %	1945	101.25	102.50
"	4½ %	1946	107.00	108.00
"	3 %	1949	102.35	103.25
"	4 %	1952	106.50	107.50
"	4½ %	1958	108.75	109.75
"	4½ %	1959	109.75	110.75
"	3 %	1955	99.75	100.75
"	3¼ %	1966	102.25	103.25
"	3 %	Perp.	94.25	95.25
"	3¼ %	1949	102.75	103.75
"	3¼ %	1951	102.50	103.50
"	3 %	1958	99.50	100.50
1st War Loan	2¾ %	1952	103.25	104.25
2nd War Loan	3 %	1952	100.50	101.50
1st Vcty. Loan	3 %	1951	101.75	102.75
2nd Vcty. Loan	3 %	1954	100.50	101.50
3rd Vcty. Loan	3 %	1956	99.75	100.75
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly.	4½ %	1951	121.00	122.50
"	4½ %	1957	123.00	124.50
"	4½ %	1955	124.50	126.00
July	5 %	1969	118.50	120.25
Oct.	5 %	1969	125.00	126.50
"	5 %	1954	117.50	119.00
"	3 %	1953	99.75	101.25
"	3 %	1944	101.50	102.50
"	3 %	1950	100.50	101.50
"	3 %	1959	99.00	100.25
Grand Trunk	3 %	1962	105.50	107.00
"	4 %	1962	114.75	117.25

London Stocks

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—Stock closings, in sterling: Austin "A," 20s; Babcock & Wilcox, 50s 6d; Boots, 41s; Cent. Mining, £13 3-4; Consol Gold, 43s; Courtaulds, 48s 9d; Crown, £8 5-8; De Beers, dfd., £15 1-8; East Geduld, £9; H.B.C., 39s 3d; London Midland, £29 3-4; Metal Box, 83s 9d; Mexican Eagle, 10s; Mining Trust, 2s 9d; Rand, £7; Springs, 18s.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £82 1-16; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £105 7-16; British Funding, 4's, 1960-90, £115 1-2.

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Product Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2492.

To producer:

Grade "A" large	.34
Grade "A" medium	.32
Grade "A" pullet	.29

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	.38
Grade "A" medium	.36
Grade "A" pullet	[illegible]

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	60.15	61.75
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	91.00	[illegible]
Brown Co. 5%, 1959	84.00	87.50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	108.00	112.50
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	102.50	106.00
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	101.75	103.00
C.P.R. 3%, 1941	100.25	101.50
C.P.R. 3½%, 1951	98.75	102.00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	101.50	
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	101.50	103.00
Gatineau Power 3¾%, 1949	100.00	102.50
Maple Leaf 3½%, 1958	96.00	99.50
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	93.00	101.25
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	100.00	104.00
Shawinigan 4½%, 1961	102.00	106.00
Simpson's Ltd. 4½%, 1951	100.25	103.50
United Grain Grws. 5%, 1948	99.50	102.00

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 4½%, 1971	85.50	[illegible]
Australia 4½%, 1956	85.50	90.50
Brazil 6½%, 1957	44.00	45.00
Buenos Aires 3%, 1984	52.00	
Chile 6%, 1961	18.00	23.00
Colombia 6%, 1961	35.00	
Cuba 4½%, 1977	77.75	80.75
Peru 6%, 1961	17.50	19.50
Sydney 5½%, 1955	88.00	
Uruguay 4½%, 1978	67.00	71.00

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1953	[illegible]	78.50
Alberta 5%, 1955	76.50	79.50
British Columbia 4½%, 1957	112.25	114.50
British Columbia 4½%, 1953	114.50	117.50
British Columbia 5%, 1953	111.50	114.50
Manitoba 4½%, 1960	109.75	112.25
Manitoba 5½%, 1958	112.50	115.50
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	112.50	115.50
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1952	113.50	114.50
Ontario 4½%, 1950	108.25	111.00
Quebec 4½%, 1958	106.75	108.25
Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	98.50	100.00
Saskatchewan 5%, 1952	97.50	100.00
Saskatchewan 6%, 1952	98.00	100.50

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Dominion Bank, 2 per cent, payable May 1 to shareholders of record April 15.

Imperial Bank of Canada, 2 per cent, payable May 1 to shareholders of record March 31.

Premier Gold, 1 1-2 cents per share payable April 15 to shareholders of record March 15.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Prices kept an even keel, but there was little activity in either mines or oils today on the Vancouver exchange. Trading closed at 33,750 shares.

Grull Wihksne sold 6,500 shares at 5 1-2. Privateer remained at 40. [illegible]

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS		
Anaconda	.05	.06
Anglo-Canadian	.58	.60
A.P. Consolidated	.12	.15
British Dominion	.28	
C. & E. Corporation	1.47	1.55
Calmont	.25	.29
Commoil	.17	
Commonwealth	.25	.30
Dalhousie	.31½	.33
Davies Petroleum	.19	.21
East Crest	.11½	.13
Foothills	1.10	1.18
Highwood Sarcee	.10	
Home Oil	3.30	3.35
Madison	.03	.03½
Mercury	.06½	.08
McDougall Segur	.07½	.10
Mill City	.06	.07
Model	.22	.28
Mar Jon	.02	.02¼
National Petroleum	.07½	
Okalta	.51	.60
Pacalta	.05½	.06
Pacific Petroleum	.28	.30
Royal Canadian	.03½	.04
Royalite	24	26
United Oil	.06¾	.08
Vanalta	.07	.08½
Vulcan	.23	
MINES		
Bayonne Consolidated	.07	.08
Bralorne	8.85	9.00
Cariboo Gold	1.26	1.35
Golconda	.06	.08
Gold Belt	.13	.17
Grandview	.14	.16
Grull Wihksne	.05	.05½
Hedley Mascot	.39	
Island Mountain	[illegible]	.90
Kootenay Belle	.23½	.25
Pacific Nickel	.09½	.13
Pend Oreille	1.50	1.60
Pioneer	1.60	1.65
Premier Border	.02¾	.03
Premier	.76	.80
Privateer	.39	.40
Quatsino Copper		.03¾
Reeves McDonald	.31	
Reno	.07	.07½
Sheep Creek	.97	1.00
Silback Premier	.02	..
Surf Inlet	.04	
Taylor Bridge	.02	.04
Whitewater	.03	.03½
Wellington	.01½	.01½
Ymir Yank		.09½
Capital Estates	1.50	
Coast Breweries	1.10	1.12
United Distillers	1.25	..

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amermac	11	11½
Anglo-Huronian	3.50	4.00
Aunor	1.53	1.55
Base Metals	.08½	.09
Bear Exploration	.14¼	.16½
Bidgood Kirkland	.15½	.16
Bonetal	.12	.13
Bralorne	8.75	8.95
Broulan Porcupine	.49½	.50
C. & E.	1.50	1.55
Canadian Malartic	.40	.42
Cariboo Gold Quartz	1.25	
Central Patricia	1.16	1.19
Cochenour Willans	.88	
Coniaurum	.75	.78
Consolidated Smelters	42.00	42.50
Dome	19.00	20.00
East Malartic	1.14	1.15
Eldorado	.85	.93
Falconbridge	3.60	3.65
God's Lake	.23½	.24
Gold Belt	.15	.16
Gunnar Gold	.15	.15½
Hard Rock	.49½	.50
Hedley Mascot	.41	
Hollinger	9.35	9.40
Home Oil	3.35	3.30
Howey	.19	.20
Hudson Bay M. & S.	28.37½	29.50
Jason	.20	.22
Kerr Addison	5.80	5.85
Kirkland Lake		.66
Lakeshore	13.50	14.00
Leitch Gold	.60	.62
Little Long Lac	.68	.72
Macassa	2.85	2.90
Madsen Red Lake	1.17	1.18
Malartic Goldfields	1.73	1.75
Mining Corpn.	1.58	1.60
McKenzie Red Lake	.91	.95
McIntyre	51.50	52.00
McLeod Cockshutt	1.63	1.64
Moneta	.33	.34
Nipissing	1.10	1.15
Noranda	45.00	45.75
O'Brien	.60½	.65
Ontario Nickel	.07½	.08
Pamour	.83	
Paymaster	.19	.19½
Pend Oreille	1.51	1.55
Perron Gold	.85	.90
Pickle Crow	1.77	1.79
Pioneer	1.64	1.65
[illegible]	.75	.78
Preston East Dome	2.05	2.10
[illegible]	.38	.40
San Antonio	2.45	2.55
Senator Rouyn	.19	.19½
Sherritt-Gordon	.84	.84
Sheep Creek	.96	1.00
Sigma	5.75	6.75
Siscoe	.40	.42
Sladen Malartic	.37	.39
Steep Rock	1.88	1.90
Sudbury Basin	1.85	1.92
Sullivan	.70	.74
Sylvanite	1.47	1.50
Teck-Hughes	2.26	2.30
Toburn	.65	.67
Upper Canada	1.11	1.14
Ventures	5.50	5.85
Waite Amulet	4.35	4.45
Wright-Hargreaves	3.25	3.30

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Bathurst "A"	12½	14
Bell Telephone	147	148
Brazilian	15½	16
B.A. Oil	18½	19
B.C. Power "A"	25½	26
Can. Car & Foundry	8	8½
Can. Car & Foundry Pfd.	28¼	29
Can. Steamships	10	10½
Can. Steamships Pfd.	35	35½
Can. Canners "A"	20	21
Can. Canners "B"	11¼	11½
Can. Celanese	32½	
C.P.R.	9¼	9½
Consolidated Smelters	42	42
Distillers-Seagrams	27	27½
Dominion Bridge		26½
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	8¾	9
Ford of Canada "A"	21½	22½
Gatineau	9	
Gatineau Pfd.	81½	82
Goodyear	72	77
Hiram Walker	50	50
Hiram Walker Pfd.	19½	19¾
Imperial Oil	12¾	13
Intl. Nickel	37½	38
Intl. Petroleum	17⅝	18
Loblaw "A"	29	29½
Loblaw "B"	19½	19¾
McColl-Frontenac	6	7
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd.	97	99
Massey Harris	6	6½
Massey Harris, Pfd.	15¼	16
Montreal Power	24½	25½
National Steel Car	46	46½
Shawinigan	16½	17¼
Simpson's, Pfd.	92½	93½
Steel of Canada	64	65
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	70	71
United Steel	4½	4¾
George Weston, Com.	13	13½
George Weston, Pfd.	98	99

Averages

Industrials, 104.89, up .49.
Golds, 80.45, down .07.
Metals, 60.84, up .21.
Oils, 22.72, down .07.
Sales, 294,000.

BANK CLEARINGS

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Bank clearings for the week ending Thursday, March 11.

	1943	1942
Vancouver	26,422,848	17,262,401
Victoria	1,994,318	1,644,118
N. Westminster	853,696	835,459

Visitor—Yes, I liked the service in your church very much. But one thing puzzled me; why does the congregation hurry out so quickly after the benediction?

Native — Well, sir, the sexton makes them leave their umbrellas in the vestibule and those who get out late haven't much of a choice.

Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper	.80	.90
Alberta Pacific Grain		3
Associated Breweries	15	15½
Bank of Montreal	153½	
Bank of Nova Scotia	248	
Bank of Toronto	243	250
Bathurst Paper "A"	12½	14¼
B.C. Power "A"	147½	148
Brazilian	16⅝	16
B.A. Oil	18⅝	19
B.C. Packers		18
Building Products	13	14
[illegible]		
Canada Malting	38½	39½
Can. Steamships	10¼	10½
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	35	35½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	138	138
Can. Breweries, Pfd.	31½	
Can. Car & Foundry	8½	8¾
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	28¼	28½
Can. Celanese	32½	33
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	4	4½
Canadian Pacific Railway	9¼	9½
Cockshutt Plow	9½	10
Cons. Bakeries	10½	11½
Distillers-Seagrams	27¼	27½
Dominion Bank	155	
Dominion Bridge		26½
Dominion Glass	102½	
Dominion Steel & Coal	8¾	9
Dominion Stores	7¼	7½
Dominion Tar & Chemical	7½	7¾
Fanny Farmer	21½	21¾
Fleet Aircraft	3¾	4½
Ford of Canada	21½	21½
Gatineau Power Co.		9
General Steelwares	8½	9
Goodyear Tire	72	77
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	5⅛	5½
Hamilton Bridge	5	5¼
Imperial Bank of Canada	165	
Imperial Oil	12¾	13
Intl. Nickel	37½	38
Intl. Pete.	17½	18⅛
Intl. Utilities "A"	3	
Lake of the Woods Milling	20	25
Loblaw Groceteria "A"	28	29½
Massey-Harris, Com.	6¼	6½
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	15½	16
McColl-Frontenac Oil	6½	7
Montreal Power	24½	25¼
Moore Corpn.	45½	48
National Breweries	26½	
National Steel Car	46½	46¾
Page Hersey Tubes	93½	94
Royal Bank of Canada	138	138½
Shawinigan Power	16¾	17¼
Steel Co. of Canada, Com.	64	65
Steel Co. of Canada, Pfd.	70	73
United Steel Corpn.	4½	4¾
Walker, G. & W.	50	..
Walker, G. & W., Pfd.	19½	19⅝
Western Canada Flour	3½	4
George Weston	13	13¼
Winnipeg Electric "A"	3⅛	3½
Canadian Investment Fund	..	3.90

Increase Coffee Rations in U.S.

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—Coffee rations in the United States will go back to one pound for five weeks beginning March 22, thanks to "improvement during the past few weeks in the import situation." The current ration is one pound a person for six weeks.

Camera Club Hears Talk on Animals

At a meeting of the British Columbia Civil Service Camera Club on Wednesday evening, W. Wells, well-known animal photographer, gave an interesting talk on the methods and technique of photographing animals, illustrated with photographs taken by the speaker.

The print subject for the month was "Spring." First place in the competition went to J. C. Hawkes with "Prelude to Spring," second to R. Colby with "Spring" and third also to Mr. Hawkes with "Spring Sowing."

The annual print competition will take place at the next meeting, on April 14.

CONSTABLE TRANSFERED

BELLA COOLA, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Constable Martin Aylward of the Provincial Police, stationed here for the past four years, left today with Mrs. Aylward and their son, Bobbie, for Vancouver where he will be stationed with the University detachment.

QUESNEL, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Ole Dahlin, sixty-two, well-known trapper, was found dead not far from his cabin ten miles north of the old Tertiary Mine on the Fraser River. Dahlin apparently had left the cabin in a delirious state while John Olson, a friend, was away in search of a doctor.

Family Courts' Scope Limited Says Maitland

Move Forward in Social Legislation

Describing the proposed establishment of Family Courts as a "move forward" in social legislation, Attorney-General R. L. Maitland warned in the Legislature yesterday, that "too much cannot be expected all at once in the way of results."

Moving second reading of his bill to establish Family Courts, Mr. Maitland explained that the Government proposes to proceed carefully, starting out by dealing only with matters within provincial jurisdiction. It will concern itself with juveniles in difficulties, mothers who are obliged to go to the court to obtain for their children allowances from their husbands, and the issuing of orders to transfer children from parental guardianship to the guardianship of an institution.

The minister said that there was opposition to the Family Courts from a number of municipalities which believe the cost of operating the courts will be expensive.

LIMITED IN SCOPE MINISTER EXPLAINS

He pointed out that some of the problems with which it is expected the Family Courts will deal are outside their jurisdiction. They cannot concern themselves with matters falling under the Criminal Code, he said; nor could these courts include within their scope divorce matters, as some people seemed to think they would.

Family Courts will be established under the Juvenile Courts Act and in this connection the minister touched on juvenile delinquency. He pointed out that the control of children was primarily the responsibility of the parents, and that it is only after judicial inquiry has proved them to have neglected this responsibility that the guardianship is transferred from the parents to an institution.

Juvenile courts have not grown and developed as rapidly as they should, Mr. Maitland declared, and he agreed with Mrs. Laura E. Jamieson (C.C.F., Vancouver Centre), that "there is still room for change and improvement." The work of these courts should not all be left to the Government and to officials to carry out, he maintained.

PRAISES INDUSTRIALISTS FOR INTEREST IN BOYS

The minister said that some industrialists in Vancouver have done "magnificent work," through their co-operation with his department and by providing employment, to give juvenile delinquents an opportunity to re-establish themselves under the new system of probation.

"By probation, or suspended sentence, these boys have been greatly helped and a good job done in crime prevention work," the minister said.

Mrs. Jamieson pledged the co-operation of the C.C.F. members if the Attorney-General would give his assurance that he would appoint to the courts to be designated as "family courts" judges qualified in domestic relations and psychology, and trained for that particular procedure, and that the courts would be provided with thoroughly trained probationary officers and social service workers.

"If these recommendations are kept in mind, Family Courts can be made very useful in this province," Mrs. Jamieson said.

EDMONTON, March 11 (CP).—Austen Gordon McKitrick, eighty-one, pioneer and prominent mission worker in the early days in Alberta and Saskatchewan, died here yesterday.

Radio Will Never Supplant Newspaper Says C.B.C. Chief

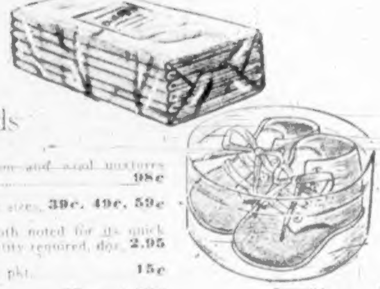
VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Radio will never supplant the newspaper since after hearing news summaries on the air "people want fuller information and turn to the newspapers for it," Dr. J. S. Thomson, general manager of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, said in an interview today.

Dr. Thomson said present arrangements for obtaining news from The Canadian Press and British United Press would be continued. He said there was no need for the C.B.C. to attempt to gather its own news "when we are in contact with such efficient organizations."

Dr. Thomson said so-called "soap operas" were put on the air because they had a "definite romantic appeal" and met a public demand. A certain amount of commercial broadcasting was necessary.

In the House of Commons at Ottawa on Monday night Joseph Harris, Progressive Conservative member for Toronto-Danforth, criticized the amount of radio advertising by soap companies and said "our women could knit much faster to the recordings of music than they are able to weep to the fiction of the radio soap ads."

About 200 Greek merchant ships and 6,000 seamen are now in the service of the Allies.



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"Q" Tips to gently cleanse tiny ears, nose and mouth, pkt. 35c
Wrapping Blankets—With delightful nursery designs, each 59c
Baby Deer Shoes of sturdy wool felt in pink, white and blue. Washable. Attractively boxed. Pair 1.25
Infants' Kimonos—In pink and blue eider cloth, with silk cord tie, each 1.19
Kimonos of white cotton with tie front 89c
Infants' Shoulderettes—In pink only, each 79c
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Pastry Flour, Wild Rose, 7 lbs. 33c
Tea, Tenderleaf, 8-oz. pkt. (4 coupons) 35c
Coffee, Chase & Sanborn's, 1-lb. bag (2 coupons) 41c
Bread Flour, "Spencer's," 49 lbs. 1.49
Naphtha Soap, Radiant, bars 3 for 10c
Soap Flakes, Bulk, 2 lbs. 23c
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Cocoa, Malkin's, per ½ lb. 15c
Corn Starch, Canada, 1-lb. pkts. 2 for 19c
Meat Sauce, Jolly Good, 6-oz. bottles, at 2 for 27c
Sandwich Spread, Nalley's, 8-oz. jar 19c
Shredded Wheat, pkts. 2 for 19c
Cereal, Sunny Boy, 5 lbs. 29c
Baking Powder, Aero, 12-oz. tin 13c
Gelatine, Davis', 2-oz. pkt. 15c
Snap Cleaner, per tin 18c
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NO. 77—EIGHTY-FIFTH YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 1943

Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELAHUNTY

IN THE MAIL BAG

Dear Sir:

I have been reading your column throughout the hockey series, and I wish to submit to you my idea of an all-star trio, and it is as follows: Chuck Rayner, goal; Bobby Goldham, defence, and Hal Brown. In my estimation this is all that is necessary, but as it is customary to have eleven players I would suggest the following line-up: Chuck Rayner, goal; Bobby Goldham and Dave MacKay, defence; Hal Brown, Bill Carse and Joffre Desilets, forwards; Julian Sawchuk, Lou Labovitch, Jummy Lowe, Pinkie Melnyk and Elmer Kreller, substitutes.

Your truly,
Marion Brooks.

Comment: Apparently the first trio you mentioned were all you intended to put on your selected squad, but on second thought you went ahead and named a whole team. I would have Nanaimo's Dave MacKay in preference over Bobby Goldham for the simple reason he played all season while the former Maple Leaf star was just here for the play-off games against the Army. The popular Clipper playing-coach was a great leader all during the campaign, and, if you remember correctly, it was his two goals, the last coming in the overtime, that kept Nanaimo's chances alive in the Navy series. Only a few days ago he was voted the most valuable to his club for the year, a honor he certainly deserved for his sensational play from the start was one big feature of the season which just closed. You have picked a strong team, one which compares favorably with any I have seen published in either newspaper.

ODDS AND ENDS

Remember when: Lee Steil, one of Seattle's best amateur golfers of two decades ago, was forced to hand out twenty-eight strokes in the thirty-six-hole final in the Empress tournament to Ed Cuppage, of the Uplands Club, some years ago at the Oak Bay links? Lee was five up at the end of the morning round, but the Victorian overtook him after lunch and finally won the decision on the last green. Steil missed this year's event, the first he has not competed in for a long time . . . Art Chapman flashed some of his old-time shooting form on Wednesday night at the high school gymnasium when he poured in twenty points for the Army basketballers as the soldiers made it two straight over R.C.A.F. in the city senior championship final. Another decision tomorrow evening on the same court and the Army boys will move into the provincial final against the Mainland titleholders. Chapman simply broke the Flyers' hearts with his brilliant one-handed marksmanship from any angle on the maple floor. When the former Domino sharpshooter gets the range there's nothing the opposition can do to halt him, for he usually lets those basketballs go from well out . . . Now that Manager Leo Durocher, of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has been turned down by the United States Army, due to a perforated ear drum, how about examining the ears of some of the umpires Leo has been lipping for so many seasons . . . Grover Cleveland Alexander, one of baseball's greats on the mound a good many years ago, comes out in the open and suggests that the pitcher's box be moved within thirty feet of the batters, so old-timers like himself can start throwing them again in the majors . . . National Hockey League leaders are very good at looking back. They remember, when fixing up the play-offs, how the Boston Bruins one year, with a great record in the league, were knocked off three straight by the Toronto Leafs.

FROM HERE AND THERE

The wind which swept over the eighteen-hole layout at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday morning and afternoon apparently didn't bother the favorites in the race for the Beatty Trophies in both divisions . . . These golfers from Port Angeles must have been holding a Spring training camp, for they sure have their sights trained on a flock of silverware in this Empress tournament. For instance, the Americans lifted the two inter-club "mugs," the men's without much trouble from other four-man teams . . . For seven straight years our friend, Ernie Brachat, the lone entry from the Gorge Vale course, has been teeing off in this event and this is the first time that he failed to gain a spot in the men's championship. Naturally, he was disappointed, for, if you golf fans remember, it was just a few years ago on the same course that Ernie paced the field in the medal test. "I just couldn't solve those greens; they were too tough for me. My long game was all right, and I figured if I could have controlled my putter, I would have been in the running for the Beatty Trophy. However, I will be back next year and hope to make a much better showing," said Brachat in the clubhouse during the week . . . Detroit Red Wings walked off with the N.H.L. championship by their 2-1 victory over the Leafs, and the Montreal Canadiens still clung to their chances of gaining a play-off berth by playing to a 4-4 deadlock with Chicago Black Hawks.

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Detroit Captures Ice Championship

Red Wings Nose Out Leafs to Win National League Hockey Honors

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Detroit	24	12	11	159	111	59
Boston	23	17	8	180	167	54
Toronto	20	19	9	190	157	49
Chicago	17	16	14	163	161	48
Canadiens	18	19	10	165	178	46
Rangers	10	29	8	146	231	28

Last Night's Scores

Detroit 2, Toronto 1.
Chicago 4, Canadiens 4.

Next Games

Saturday—Chicago at Canadiens; Detroit at Toronto.

Sunday—Chicago at Rangers; Canadiens at Boston; Toronto at Detroit.

DETROIT, March 11 (AP).—Detroit Red Wings clinched the National Hockey League championship tonight by defeating Toronto Maple Leafs, 2-1, on Don Grosso's goal with four minutes to play.

Before 10,730 fans who showered the ice with paper after the winning marker, the Wings came from behind after Billy Taylor had notched a first-period goal for the Leafs. Rookie Les Douglas matched that in the middle period, and then at 15:51 of the last period Grosso smashed Sid Abel's rebound past Walter (Turk) Broda.

The victory gave Detroit a five-point lead over the second-place Boston Bruins, who have only two games or a possible four points remaining. It was Detroit's fourth league title in ten years. The last came in 1937.

At the same time Johnny Mowers put on the clincher for the Georges Vezina Trophy with a forty-four-goal margin over Broda. Mowers still has three games to go but he can scarcely blow that kind of a lead for the net-minding honors.

Mowers had a fairly easy time of it, making only thirteen stops to forty-seven by Broda.

The lone Toronto goal came while the Leafs were short-handed. With Reg Hamilton in the box, Taylor stickhandled his way neatly through the Detroit defence and beat Mowers with a backhand shot.

Douglas notched his fifth major league goal midway of the middle period by belting home his own rebound. Both goals were unassisted up to that point, but Grosso got some help from his line mates, Abel and Eddie Wares, to break up the game.

The crowd boosted the season attendance mark here past the 250,000 mark with two home games remaining. This is an all-time club record.

Line-Ups

Toronto—Broda; R. Hamilton, Pratt; Taylor; Carr, Schriner, McDonald, Davidson, Hill, Jones, G. Stewart, Polle, Forsey, J. Hamilton.

Detroit—Mowers; Simon, J. Stewart; Grosso; Wares, Abel, Motter, Orlando, Howe, Bruneteau, Liscombe, Douglas, Watson, Carveth.

Referee, Frank (King) Clancy; linesmen, Doug Young, Stan McCabe.

Summary

First Period—1, Toronto, Taylor, 14:35. Penalties: R. Hamilton, Simon, J. Hamilton.

Second Period—2, Detroit, Douglas, 12:12. Penalties: Wares, G. Stewart, Abel.

Third Period—3, Detroit, Grosso (Abel, Wares), 15:51.

CANADIENS IN DEADLOCK

CHICAGO, March 11 (CP).—Montreal's Canadiens, who came from behind here twice before this season to tie Chicago, did it again tonight to stay at the heels of the Black Hawks in their fight for a qualifying berth in the National Hockey League play-offs. The final score was 4-4.

A crowd of 12,796 persons saw the fourth-place Hawks launch their final game of the home schedule with a burst of goals in the first period to lead 3-1. The persistent Canadiens, however, finally tied the score in the last minute of the match on a goal by Joe Benoit, his third in a row. Montreal's first-period score came off the stick of Ray Getliffe.

The Hawks got the jump on Montreal early in the opening period when Toe Blake, Canadien winger, slid into his own nets carrying the puck with him during a melee in front of the cage. Wingy Johnston got credit for the score and before the period was over he added another, and Bob Carse also scored.

The fourth Chicago score came midway in the final period, Johnny Gottselig's shot sending his team ahead, 4-2. Then Benoit stepped in and tallied twice.

The tie still left Chicago two points ahead of Montreal. The Hawks also gained a point on third-place Toronto, which lost tonight to Detroit. Toronto now leads the Hawks by the slim margin of forty-nine to forty-eight in the tight, fourth-place battle.

Line-Ups

Montreal—Bibeault; Lamoureux, Portland; Lach; Benoit, Blake. Subs: Dheere, Getliffe, Harmon, Meronex, O'Connor, Drillon, Bouchard, Hiller.

Chicago—Gardiner; Thoms, Allen; M. Bentley; Johnson, D. Bentley. Subs: Wiebe, Mitchell, Dahlstrom, Gottselig, Purpur, Carse, Hamill, March.

Referee, Bill Chadwick; linesmen, Donnie McFadyen and Steve Mouris.

Summary

First Period—1, Chicago, Johnston (M. Bentley, D. Bentley), 2:34; 2, Canadiens, Getliffe (O'Connor, Drillon), 6:13; 3, Chicago, Johnston (M. Bentley, D. Bentley), 10:46; 4, Chicago, Carse (March, Wiebe), 19:42. Penalty: Lach.

Second Period—5, Canadiens, Benoit (Blake, Lach), 8:23. Penalties: Lach, Allen, Wiebe.

Third Period—6, Chicago, Gottselig (Purpur, Dahlstrom), 11:21; 7, Canadiens, Benoit, 17:18; 8, Canadiens, Benoit (Lach, Blake), 19:19. Penalty: Lach.

Victorians Will Seek Laurels

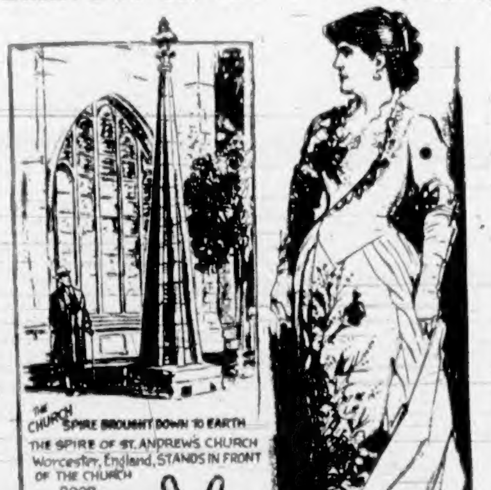
PORTLAND, Ore., March 11 (AP).—Fourteen Canadian table tennis players, thirteen from Victoria and one from Vancouver, are due Friday for the opening of the Pacific Coast championships.

Among the Canadians are Ruth Payne, Western-Canadian singles titlist, and Hal Philan, Western Canadian men's champion.

GOOD TOBACCO YIELD

ABBOTSFORD, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Sumas Tobacco Growers' Co-operative today reported their last season's yield was 1,000 pounds an acre. Returns for the crop amounted to more than $76,000.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . By Ripley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—Associated Screen News Ltd.

PICTURED above are four prominent Seattle golfers who are taking part in the fifteenth annual Empress tournament now being staged at the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club. On the left is none other than Harry Givan, one of the finest shotmakers in the northwest, and a former P.N.W. champion and at one time a member of the United States Walker Cup team. Givan turned in the lowest gross score during the qualifying round by posting a 75, a stroke better than Ralph Whaley, another Seattle star. Next to Givan is Gerry McNamama, and then comes Ralph Whaley and the veteran, Paul Glaser, who has been playing in this annual event for many years. The tournament will wind up tomorrow with the finals carded in the handicaps and also the men's open scramble for the Chamber of Commerce. Winners of the handicaps will take possession of the Beatty Trophies.

Keglers to Go After Pin Titles

Fivepin Meet at The Bowladrome

Fivepin keglers will shoot for the city singles and doubles handicap championships tomorrow at Gibson's Bowladrome, Yates Street, with play slated to commence at 2 o'clock.

The tournament has attracted the cream of local pin spillers to the Yates Street runways, and officials are anticipating plenty of keen competition.

Those in charge of the meet made it known last night that all games will start at scheduled times. Late players will be penalized by loss of frames missed.

Draw, starting times and alleys follow:

2:00—11, Greaves and McQueen, Anderson and Dunc McCaig; 12, P. Scott, R. Glover, Bradbury and Corcoran.

3:45—11, Mapes and Falk, Atkinson and Jones; 12, Scoular and F. Moulton, J. Patterson and T. Patterson; 13, H. Anderson, Dunc McCaig, W. McQueen, E. Gropp; 14, A. De Girolamo, R. Hough, P. North, H. Moulton.

7:00—11, Taylor and Lindenback, Welsh and Shouldice; 12, Ord and Harness, Holt and Heath; 13, Marshall and Cole, Stewart and Nash; 14, Proctor and Marshall, McClement and Belyea; 15, Zerr and Pearce, North and Gropp; 16, Scott and McKeachie, Frost and Barnswell; 17, Don McCaig, H. Gent, C. Savage, G. Leeming, D. Elford; 18, H. Pollard, M. Doyle, H. Butler, C. Wallis, H. Paulding; 19, Massey, M. Wood, C. Eccles, A. Mair, M. Mapes; 20, N. McKinnon, S. Swetnam, J. Randall, M. White, A. Sedgman.

9:00—11, Don McCaig and H. Gent, C. Eccles and A. Mair; 12, Grimshaw and Paulding, McKinnon and Swetnam; 13, Savage and Wallis, De Girolamo and Hough; 14, Doyle and Leeming, Elford and Butler; 15, McKinnon and Tyrrell, Mapes and Moulton; 16, C. Nash, F. Welsh, C. Holt, A. McKeachie; 17, W. Shouldice, G. Heath, J. Zerr, A. Pearce; 18, A. Harness, F. McClement, T. Cole, A. Falk, L. Marshall.

Amateur Hockey

Allan Cup play-offs tonight follow:

EAST

Quebec Senior Hockey League Semi-Final—Cornwall Army vs. Ottawa Commandos at Ottawa, sixth game of best-of-seven series, Ottawa leads 3-2.

Northern Ontario Hockey Association Final—Frood Tigers vs. Porcupine All-Stars at Timmins, fifth game of best-of-seven series, Frood leads 3-1.

WEST

Saskatchewan Senior Final—Flin Flon Bombers vs. Regina Army Caps at Regina, third game of best-of-seven series, tied 1-1.

Memorial Cup play-offs tonight follow:

WEST

Thunder Bay Final—Fort William Hurricanes vs. Port Arthur Juniors at Port Arthur, first game of best-of-five series.

Maritime Senior—Pictou 5, Saint John 2 (Pictou leads best-of-five semi-finals round 2-0).

Quebec Senior—Montreal R.C.A.F. 8, Montreal Army 3 (R.C.A.F. leads best-of-three semi-finals 1-0).

Manitoba Junior—Winnipeg Rangers 5, St. Boniface Athletics 1 (Rangers lead best-of-five finals 4-0).

American League—Providence 7, Washington 5.

Policemen, Firemen "Cooking" Up New Comedy Numbers

THE coppers who pound the beat to earn their daily bread, and the firemen who fight fires to keep the wolves from their doors, are cooking—cooking up something new in the way of entertainment for the spectators who will attend the second annual ice carnival one week from tonight at the Willows Arena. Gluttons for punishment, and crowd-pleasers in their every move, the firemen and policemen, following their hit in the inaugural show, have been given star billing, and are sure to please. Only thing giving Constable Sam McKenzie a little worry at the moment is the request of some of his "stars" to skip the coming show, but the genial captain of the "bobbies" refuses to take no for an answer. And after all, as McKenzie puts it, who are we to be afraid of the "Fighting Firemen" with their axes, hoses and fire engines. New numbers are being added to the programme daily, and the only thing giving the committee some concern at the moment is the actual length of the show. One thing is certain, the event will be one of the most versatile presented here for a long time, and will present new stars to Victoria fans. Net proceeds from the show, which is being sponsored by the two Victoria newspapers and staged with the co-operation of the city police and fire departments, will go to the Queen Alexandra Solarium for Crippled Children. Tickets will go on sale next Monday morning at the business offices of The Times and The Colonist, and intending patrons are advised to make their purchases early to avoid disappointment. Show time will be 8:30 o'clock next Friday evening at the Willows Arena, and all persons are requested to be seated by that time.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—This isn't exactly a sport story, but Athletic Director R. F. Hastie, of Alpena, Mich., claims it happened in his office by the school gymnasium. . . . When ration books were being given out in the gym, his office was occupied by the state tuberculosis X-ray machine. . . . Two women entered the wrong door and asked: "Is this where we go?" . . . Each was given a sheet, directed to a side room to change their clothes, and as they came out robed to take their places before the X-ray machine, one remarked: "Isn't it awful what we have to do to get ration books?"

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Writing to Trainer Roscoe Goose from somewhere in Australia, Cpl. Bob Freeman reports the Aussies have "another Phar Lap" in a horse named Auction, which recently packed 184 pounds to a track record. . . . Jimmy Bivins, the Cleveland heavyweight, is a pretty good pianist, machinist and cartoonist in his spare time and claims he'd like to play a piano solo for the fight mob after playing a glove solo on Tami Mauriello.

TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Art Cohn, Oakland (Calif.) Tribune: "Lou Nova may be the dumb ox some of us insist he is, but he was smart enough to buy a six-acre ranch at Encino for cash the other day, which is more than us wise guys are doing. . . . He's calling it El Cosmic Rancho."

Trophies Presented At Dance

Hockey Players Are Entertained

Army and Navy hockey players, British Columbia and Vancouver Island champions, respectively, were signally honored at a grand party last night in the banquet hall of the Crystal Garden, when H. B. "Barney" Olson, managing director of the Willows Arena, acted as host to the many guests.

Soldiers were presented the Savage Cup, symbolic of provincial supremacy, by T. O. Mackay, one of the original trustees, who complimented the troops on their victory and wished them continued success in their quest of the Allan Cup.

O. B. "Bill" Taylor, manager of Terry's and donor of the trophy bearing the name of that well-known Victoria establishment, presented the cup, emblematic of the Vancouver Island League honors, to the bluejackets, and awarded medals to each member of the squad. Those receiving medals were: "Chuck" Rayner, Harold Brown, Howie Hill, Joe McArthur, Ab Newsome, Gordon Hemming, Jack Tomson, "Chuck" Millman, Glen Richardson, Bob Drainville, Gordon Petrie, Bernie Strongman, Murdo McKay, "Chuck" Taylor and "Porky" Hulme.

Felicitations were extended to the players by the guest speakers, and a spirit of friendship was much in evidence as the members of the various clubs mingled freely and "chatted" about the hectic moments of many of the league games during the season just closed.

Music for the dancing was supplied by the Royal Canadian Navy orchestra, and during the evening a buffet supper was served.

Invited guests included members of the Army, Navy, R.C.A.F., Nanaimo Clippers and V.M.D. hockey clubs and their lady partners, league officials, referees and members of the press.

WINS GOLFING TITLE

LOS ANGELES, March 11 (AP).—Mrs. Babe Didrikson Zaharias has added the Los Angeles Midwinter golf tournament championship to her long list of athletic achievements.

She scored a double eagle yesterday in defeating Miss Clara Callender, California women's champion, in the tournament final.

The 405-yard tenth hole was the scene of Mrs. Zaharias' three-under-par performance in the morning round of the thirty-six-hole match. She drove 250 yards over traps, then in the second shot put the ball on the green's edge, whence it rolled into the cup. Babe took the match 4 and 3.

Famous Swedish Runners May Race In United States

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—The amateur Athletic Union has been advised that Gunder Haegg and two other famed Swedish track stars are willing to come to the United States for outdoor competition including the national championships.

In addition Greg Rice, record-holding distance runner in the United States, has been invited to compete in Sweden this Summer, it was learned today.

U.S. Players Hold Sway in Tourney

Americans Dominate Play in Meet At Oak Bay Links by Victories

Invading shotmakers from the other side of the boundary line held the limelight as eliminations continued in yesterday's match play in the fifteenth annual Empress tournament at the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club. So the coveted Beatty Trophy will cross the border once again as far as the men's division is concerned, and it is quite obvious that the open title and the Chamber of Commerce Cup will also land in Uncle Sam's country, as Harry Givan is still in the thick of it and is a very strong favorite.

By the way, this chap named Givan, who has been tops along with "Scotty" Campbell and Jack Westland for several years in Northwest golfing circles, can give away plenty of strokes and still keep in the running for the handicap honors. Yesterday, despite a strong wind and threatening weather at intervals, the Sound City siege gun was right on form and accounted for the veteran, Paul Glaser, also of Seattle, 3 and 2. Harry was out over the first nine in 32, one under par, which included birdies on the fifth and sixth greens. With the wind behind him Mr. Givan cut loose with a terrific tee shot at the fifth and carried the green, some 300 yards distance. On the stretch to the clubhouse the Seattle club-swinger kept up his sensational play and closed out the argument on the sixteenth green.

T. P. Window, Port Angeles, eliminated Victoria's last hope in J. R. Kingham, 4 and 2, while V. E. Fowler, Astoria, ousted C. Lind, Port Angeles, 4 and 3. Another Port Angeles golfer, E. Rapp, scored over Gerry McManama, Seattle, 6 and 5, to complete the semi-final bracket in the Beatty Trophy.

VICTORIAN WINS MATCH

One Victorian, Betty Ellis, of the Uplands Club, remains in the running for the Beatty Trophy in the women's division, while the other survivors are Mrs. J. C. Baldwin, Seattle; Mrs. C. R. Spooner, Saskatoon, and Mrs. W. G. Thomson, Winnipeg. The local girl won from Mrs. H. G. Mackenzie, another Victorian and former runner-up in the same event, 2 and 1, and Mrs. Thomson eliminated Mrs. N. McCreery, Vancouver, at the nineteenth green. Mrs. Baldwin, who has been in search of the trophy for a long time, came through with a 2-and-1 verdict over another Sound City golfer, Miss Mary O'Brien, and Mrs. Spooner captured a one-up decision over Mrs. J. R. Beedie, Vancouver, after an interesting battle.

Port Angeles golfers dominated the team events. The American foursome won the Jack Matson Trophy for inter-club competition with a total of 283, well in front of the rest of the contenders. The following were members of the winning club and their net scores: Lieut. H. M. Sias, 69; E. Rapp, 70; T. P. Window, 71, and C. Lind, 73; while the women from the same city walked off with the women's inter-club honors with a four-team total of 367. Members of the team and net scores follow: Mrs. B. M. Phillips, 97; Mrs. H. M. Sias, 92; Mrs. T. P. Window, 85, and Mrs. C. Lind, 87. Shaughnessy Golf Club, finished in the runner-up position.

Harry Givan continued his fine display in the afternoon in the open event and coasted through to victory over G. Parsons, also of Seattle, 8 and 6, after taking an early lead. Lieut. Sias put out George Norgan, Vancouver, 2 and 1, and Ralph Whaley, Seattle, moved along at the expense of F. E. King, Calgary, by a similar score. The other semi-finalist was T. P. Window, who nosed out Frank Wright, Anacortes, on the final green.

Results follow:

CHAMPIONSHIP

T. P. Window defeated J. R. Kingham, 4-2.

V. E. Fowler defeated C. Lind, 4-3.

E. Rapp defeated G. P. McManama, 6-5.

Harry Givan defeated Paul Glaser, 3-2.

First Flight

J. E. Mahood defeated D. B. MacDonald, 1 up.

G. Norgan defeated D. N. Botter at the nineteenth.

R. Whaley won by default from F. Buhrman.

R. L. Portt defeated F. E. King, 4-3.

Second Flight

L. B. Walker defeated J. L. Lawson, 7-5.

S. Ryall won by default from C. W. Nichol.

R. V. Welts won by default from R. W. Sullivan.

G. Parsons defeated R. W. Pitt, 2 up.

Third Flight

R. L. Maryatt defeated F. A. Strehecker, 2-1.

J. Hansen defeated E. O. Johns, 5-4.

W. N. Perkins defeated J. H. Wilson at the twentieth.

J. A. Rumball defeated C. Leuty, 2-1.

Fourth Flight

J. Pattison defeated G. Simpson, 3-2.

W. G. Ballard defeated M. W. McKinney, 5-4.

A. Marion defeated J. W. Morris, 2 up.

R. Maryatt, Jr., defeated C. R. Spooner, 1 up.

Fifth Flight

E. L. McNiven defeated G. N. Douglas at the nineteenth.

C. Egleston defeated J. Fox at the nineteenth.

E. Forst defeated E. R. Bannatyne, 5-4.

R. McEwan defeated J. Hill, 1 up.

Sixth Flight

S. Hannan defeated G. Farrar, 4-3.

J. Gleeson defeated J. A. McKinnon, 3-2.

F. Burns defeated D. B. Leach, 1 up.

L. Bean defeated A. C. MacMillan, 7-6.

Seventh Flight

G. R. Davison defeated R. N. Phillips, 3-2.

W. G. Thomson defeated J. O. Puller, 2 up.

G. W. Dover defeated J. J. Olmstead, 1 up.

G. N. Handley defeated W. S. Dyson, 1 up.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP

Championship

Miss B. Ellis defeated Mrs. H. G. McKenzie, 2-1.

Mrs. W. G. Thomson defeated Mrs. N. McCreery at the nineteenth.

Mrs. J. C. Baldwin defeated Miss O'Brien, 2-1.

Mrs. M. Spooner defeated Mrs. G. R. Beedie, 1 up.

First Flight

Mrs. J. C. Wilson defeated Mrs. A. D. DesBrisay, 8-6.

Mrs. R. Maryatt defeated Mrs. H. M. Sias, 5-4.

Mrs. T. P. Window defeated Mrs. A. H. Thompsett, 1 up.

Mrs. Naysmith defeated Mrs. R. MacKay at the twentieth.

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Jackson Cup Soccer Series Will Open Here Tomorrow

PLAY in the Jackson Cup soccer series will open tomorrow afternoon at Royal Athletic Park with the Navy opposing the Royal Air Force "B" Team. The Old Country players made a good showing in the Sunday league of the Victoria and District Football Association, and their debut in cup competition will be awaited with interest by local fans. Bluejackets, gradually strengthening their team, should rule slight favorites over the R.A.F. lads playing in the senior loop for the first time. Kick-off is set for 2:45 o'clock, with Joe Cibee as referee. In the event of a draw at the end of the regulation playing time, overtime will be played.

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Garden Bout Set Tonight

Bivins to Battle Mauriello in East

NEW YORK, March 21 (AP).—Jimmy Bivins and Tami Mauriello tangle in a ten-rounder in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night in what shapes up as the No. 1 spot on the heavyweight hit parade but the best they're getting out of it is only second billing to Cpl. Barney Ross, who flattened twenty-two Japs at Guadalcanal.

For that little job of work, the Boxing Writers' Association of New York awarded the Edward J. Neil Memorial Trophy to the corporal as the man who did the most for boxing in 1942. The trophy was turned over a month ago to Colonel Harvey Miller of the Marines, because Barney still had some business out there in the Pacific. But now he's going to accept the plaque in person tomorrow in the middle of the Garden ring.

The corporal probably is the big attraction to the expected 18,000 customers who are expected to toss about $70,000 into Promoter Mike Jacobs' hoppers.

This is Mauriello's farewell party before he signs up for the United States Army and Tami knows there's nothing like bowing out a winner. However, most of the folks figure it's a case of "the spirit's willing but the flesh is weak," for Mauriello is a nine to five underdog.

In addition to taking a decision from Tami in a recent brawl, Bivins also has bowled over such sturdy swatters as Bob Pastor, Lee Savold and Anton Christoforidis.

Sports Snapshots

By CHARLES EDWARDS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, March 11 (CP).—As a curler, John Bracken was a perennial but never successful challenger for the British Consols provincial championship in Manitoba. As a teacher of curling he now is a success. Half a dozen years ago Lyall Hopkins was a member of the Winnipeg rink skipped by the new Progressive Conservative leader. He studied the Bracken methods with rock and broom. This year Hopkins skipped the Dartmouth rink that won the Nova Scotia Consols.

THREE STRIKES AND OUT

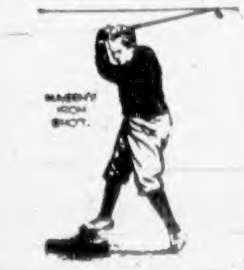
Hal Dean, of The Edmonton Bulletin: "The rate hockey players are shuttling around the country as their own teams are eliminated, leaves it within the realm of possibility for the East to be represented by clubs the members of which have been playing in the West all Winter and for Eastern players to be found upholding the honors of the West this Spring in the finals of both the Memorial and Allan Cups." Dave Dryburgh, of The Regina Leader-Post, has a suggestion for limiting these hockey moves. "A three-strikes-and-you're-out rule might help."

DUTTON HAS HOPES

Freddy Edwards, of The Fort William Times-Journal, has suggested formation of a Dominion bantam, midget and juvenile hockey association with Dominion championship play-offs in all three classes. Now he has this word from Mervyn (Red) Dutton, acting president of the National Hockey League, on the subject: "I am keeping it in mind and I have no doubt but that in the future something along the lines suggested will be carried out." The idea is the play-offs would spur competition among the youngsters and thus improve their play.

GRAPHIC GOLF

By BEST BALL


MASHIE IRON SHOT.

FEWER CLUBS

To a generation which has been used to playing one golf club for a specific distance, a shortage of golf clubs may prove a temporary hardship. For example in such a case, one implement may have to serve for a job ordinarily divided between three and four clubs. However there is no reason to despair. It wasn't so long ago that Walter Hagen used a mashie-iron for a variety of shots ranging from 50 to 190 yards. Hagen preferred it this way and it may be that the golfer, caught short on implements, can get somewhat the same thrill that Hague used to get when he gauged his stroke accurately for the shot.

Using this club, Hagen employed an open stance, the ball a few inches back of a line from the left heel. In the above illustration, Hagen is intent upon hitting the ball for a distance approximating maximum range but there is no sign of over-swinging. The ball is hit on the downstroke, Hagen's ability to swing freely underneath his head, which was held stationary, making the stroke smooth and precise. After impact the follow through was restricted, the arms at the finish being extended in the direction of the objective.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Naval Cadets Will Oppose R.C.A.F. In Rugby Final

WELL rested after a hard, successful series in quest of the Barnard Cup, symbolic of the city championship, Naval College ruggers will leave tonight for the Mainland to oppose Vancouver R.C.A.F. in the provincial final for the Rounsefell Cup. Coached by Lieut. A. W. Gillespie, Varsity and Victoria "rep" player, the Naval Cadets are a fast, young squad with plenty of fight and Rugby ability. They won the honors here the hard way, twice defeating the Army, first-half champions, before gaining possession of the coveted Barnard Cup. Tomorrow's match will be played at Brockton Point, Vancouver, and regardless of the outcome, Mainland fans will see a smart team in action in the Naval Cadets. The following players will make the trip: S. A. Angus, J. F. Chipman, A. W. Gillespie (captain), J. A. Gibbs, N. R. Millen, R. H. F. Wood, R. L. Carlile, R. W. Cocks, C. R. Manifold, A. R. Macdonald, A. M. Cockeram, D. C. Walsh, P. G. May, H. J. Wade and C. E. Spence. With the Naval College ruggers on the Mainland, no local Rugby will be played tomorrow, but one week from Saturday, Royal Air Force and Cadets will meet in the final of the Cowichan Trophy.

Bowling

GIBSON'S BOWLADROME

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

James Island—Thompson, 671; Miles, 394; Hornby, 474; Barrie, 309; Lynch, 528; Thatcher, 170; handicap, 418. Total, 3,024.

Motor Arts—J. E. Paulding, 458; W. G. Ellis, 395; P. H. Brown, 394; F. J. Kennelly, 347; L. W. Merkley, 441; handicap, 711. Total, 2,746.

James Island won three.

Scott & Peden—W. Peden, 427; J. Newton, 417; J. Godfrey, 478; H. Butler, 517; H. Holness, 580; handicap, 354. Total, 2,783.

Commercial Linen Supply—Barr, 460; Young, 491; Munn, 546; Shouldice, 567; Marks, 480; handicap, 276. Total, 2,849.

Commercial Linen Supply won three.

Wanderers—J. Struthers, 526; A. McKenzie, 461; O. Hopkins, 125; B. Hillier, 454; T. Lambie, 581; O. Pedersen, 361; handicap, 406. Total, 2,934.

Tillicum "B"—J. Baron, 528; R. Knott, 595; S. Jenkins, 467; M. Lawson, 522; low score, 499; handicap, 189. Total, 2,820.

Wanderers won three.

Northwestern Creamery—A. Tripp, 484; A. Borthwick, 501; R. Semple, 525; A. Spouse, 573; C. Savage, 473; handicap, 258. Total, 2,796.

Pollard Construction—L. Passmore, 482; E. Mottishaw, 341; W. Pollard, 416; low score, 422; low score, 499; handicap, 445. Total, 2,565.

Northwestern Creamery won three.

A.M.D.—A. Florence, 376; R. Greenwood, 477; R. Milne, 503; low score, 445; low score, 430; handicap, 351. Total, 2,582.

Tillicum "A"—R. Barnes, 512; W. Johnston, 382; H. Jealouse, 469; L. Colton, 490; W. Mowat, 393; handicap, 312. Total, 2,558.

Tillicum "A" won two.

COMMERCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

K. of P.—E. Erb, 327; F. Shaw, 464; J. Scoular, 480; M. Grimshaw, 561; F. Moulton, 244; C. Stewart, 447; handicap, 309. Total, 2,811.

Ideal Barbers—J. Bethell, 784; E. McConnan, 672; R. Proctor, 606; G. Thomson, 431; W. Marshall, 692; handicap, 37. Total, 3,324.

Ideal Barbers won three.

Tillicums—H. Anderson, 635; Don McCaig, 662; J. Begon, 561; Dunc McCaig, 794; H. Gent, 560. Total, 3,214.

Hudson's Bay—P. Scott, 659; A. McKeachie, 683; T. Ord, 604; C. Nash, 505; A. Harness, 598. Total, 3,044.

Tillicums won three.

Bapcos—A. Bergman, 606; M. Wood, 670; D. Corbett, 577; H. Pollard, 583; O. Lemming, 615; handicap, 267. Total, 3,318.

Electrons—A. Konkin, 541; R. Chilton, 590; H. A. White, 609; G. Booth, 353; K. J. Cox, 499; handicap, 308. Total, 2,900.

Bapcos won three.

Malkins—C. Nugent, 621; J. E. Talbot, 591; J. A. Barry, 492; K. Blair, 830; J. A. Perry, 640; handicap, 375. Total, 3,249.

Marshall's News—E. Grupp, 557; R. Gibson, 518; L. Marshall, 589; Cec Holt, 539; low score, 509; handicap, 63. Total, 2,903.

Malkins won two.

Douglas News—P. North, 647; H. Moulton, 843; T. Cole, 621; A. Falk, 596; M. Mapes, 680; handicap, 93. Total, 3,381.

Gutta Percha & Rubber—F. Acres, 681; A. Langley, 607; C. Savage, 584; C. Wallis, 600; A. McBride, 641; handicap, 54. Total, 3,167.

Douglas News won two.

F.O.E. LADIES' AUXILIARY LEAGUE

No. 3—L. Jones, 436; M. Bridgewood, 343; I. Smith, 410; R. Beckerley, 284; V. Holt, 421; handicap, 180. Total, 2,074.

No. 2—I. Baines, 330; O. Kennedy, 298; L. Ladstone, 446; P. Rice, 238; I. Easler, 409; handicap, 210. Total, 1,933.

No. 3 won two.

No. 4—H. Veitch, 284; T. Simmons, 449; M. Harrison, 302; M. Wyber, 322; B. Cox, 230; handicap, 345. Total, 2,132.

No. 1—A. Ballard, 419; D. Waters, 310; E. Griffin, 284; G. Mooney, 290; M. Morris, 409; handicap, 300. Total, 1,872.

No. 4 won three.

JUVENILE FOOTBALL

With Latham performing the "hat trick" and Wiseman adding the two other goals, Oak Bay came through with a 5-0 victory over St. Louis College in the Second Division of the Juvenile Football League yesterday afternoon on their home field. The score at the interval was 2-0 for the winners.

NELSON, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Snow fell in Nelson on only four days during February, totaling only 9.25 inches.

Sport Shorts Interesting

Notes From the Old Country

By ALAN RANDAL
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WITH THE R.C.A.F. SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, March 10 (CP).—Sport shorts from Britain: The football which Toronto Argonauts lugged to a Canadian championship in 1938 is very much on active service with the R.C.A.F. Every now and then it booms into action.

L.A.C. Roger (Tuffy) Smith, of Toronto, is the proud possessor of this cherished football.

Tuffy was a snapback with the Argos of 1939 and 1940 before he joined the air force. One of his teammates was brilliant backfielder Art West. When Tuffy came overseas a year and a half ago, West presented him with the football which emerged from the East-West championship game of 1938 and it has been a valued possession in the Smith kit ever since.

..."Now and then, when we have good weather, I blow it up and we toss it around a bit," Smith admitted. "We surely miss the old game over here."

Seeing old London these days is Warrant Officer Knucker Irvine, whose claim to sport fame dates back to the glorious days of the Moncton Hawks, when they won the Allan Cup. That was in the early thirties when Percy Nicklin coached them to amateur hockey's biggest prize.

Nicklin, who later came overseas to become one of the outstanding figures in English hockey, is a "must" on the Irvine visiting list. Knucker has been a disciplinarian, and was used as model in the air force manual of drill.

That's a far cry from the "Knucker" Irvine who turned pro with Detroit Red Wings, was traded to Toronto Maple Leafs for Hec Kilrea and wound up as New York Americans property.

A big gathering was on hand in a West of England rink to see two R.C.A.F. hockey teams go into action. Pilgrims beat Maple Leafs, 6-5. Sgt. J. S. Casenave, of Winnipeg, was top scorer, getting three goals, but that still wasn't enough to pull out a win for the Leafs. Sgt. D. J. Grant, of Truro, N.S., got the other two for the losers.

F.O. Harold (Happy) Hoar, of Truro, N.S., might miss his hockey in his present overseas setting but he's by no means out of his element when it comes to English sport. In addition to playing for Truro Bearcats in the Maritime Hockey League during the mid-thirties, "Happy" was also quite a hand at English Rugby in the Maritimes.

He didn't need any introduction to rugger when he stepped out with his R.C.A.F. station team. Another well-known athlete, in the same fighter squadron, Flt. Lt. Massey Beveridge, Westmount, Que., also gave it a try and qualified himself at rugger. It didn't require a great deal of conversion for Beveridge, for in prewar days he was flying wing with McGill University's inter-collegiate football team.

U.S. Players Lead

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Second Flight

Mrs. H. N. McCormack defeated Mrs. L. Petridge, 1 up.

Mrs. A. J. O'Brien defeated Mrs. S. Evans, 6-5.

Third Flight

Mrs. G. Norgan won by default from Mrs. R. V. Wells.

TODAY'S DRAW

Championship

10:00—T. P. Window vs. V. E. Fowler.

10:05—E. Rapp vs. Harry Givan.

First Flight

~~10:15~~—J. E. Mahood vs. G. Norgan.

9:45—Ralph Whaley vs. R. L. Fortt.

Second Flight

9:30—L. B. Walker vs. S. Ryall.

9:35—R. V. Wells vs. G. Parsons.

Third Flight

9:55—R. L. Maryatt vs. J. Hansen.

10:10—W. X. Perkins vs. J. A. Rumball.

Fourth Flight

9:00—J. Pattison vs. W. G. Ballard.

9:05—A. Marion vs. R. Maryatt, Jr.

Fifth Flight

9:40—E. L. McNiven vs. C. Egleston.

9:50—E. Forst vs. R. McEwan.

Sixth Flight

9:20—S. Hannah vs. J. Gleeson.

9:25—F. Burns vs. L. Bean.

Seventh Flight

9:10—G. R. Davison vs. W. C. Thomson.

9:15—G. W. Dover vs. G. N. Handley.

WOMEN'S HANDICAP

Championship

10:40—Miss B. Ellis vs. Mrs. W. G. Thomson.

10:45—Mrs. J. C. Baldwin vs. Mrs. M. Spooner.

First Flight

10:30—Mrs. J. C. Wilson vs. Mrs. R. Maryatt.

10:35—Mrs. T. P. Window vs. Mrs. M. E. Naysmith.

Second Flight

10:50—Mrs. H. N. McCormack vs. Mrs. A. J. O'Brien.

MEN'S AMATEUR OPEN

Harry Givan defeated G. Parsons, 8-6.

H. M. Sias defeated G. Norgan, 3-1.

Ralph Whaley defeated F. E. King, 2-1.

T. P. Window defeated F. Wright, 1 up.

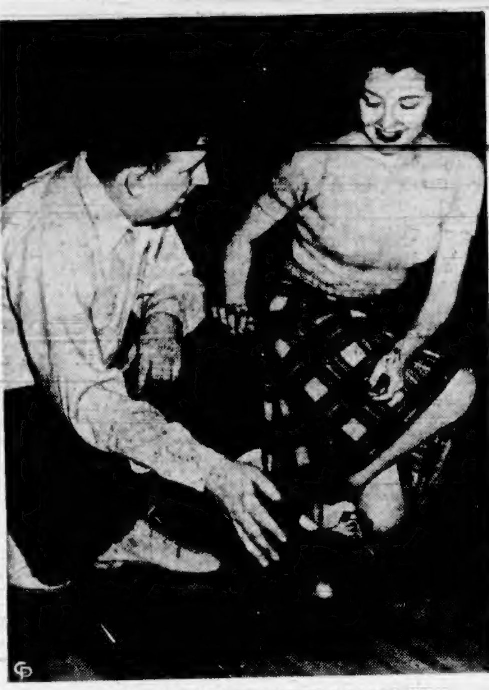
Harry Givan also defeated H. M. Sias, 5-3.

2:00—Harry Givan, Ralph Whaley, Lieutenant Sias and T. P. Window.

At Race Track

President Manuel Avila Camacho of Mexico, and Senora Camacho, were photographed at the Hipodromo De Las Americas, Mexico City's new $2,000,000 race track, as they watched the President's thoroughbreds in an early morning workout.

WOMEN CAN BOWL BETTER



PLACE BALL ABOUT EIGHT BOARDS IN

By CONNIE SCHWOEGLER
(National Match Game Bowling Champion)

EIGHTH OF A SERIES

SPOT of Release—Bowling coaches for years have been advocating the use of angle on every delivery, whether the bowler is rolling for a strike or a spare. This is sound advice since it is easier to knock down more pins with a ball that comes into the tenpin triangle at an angle.

In the above illustration we point out where I believe the ball should be placed on the alley for a strike by a right-handed bowler. The left-handed bowler would place the ball in the same relative position on the left side of the alley. The spot of release is about eight boards in from the side of the alley.

Placing the ball on the alley at this spot allows the straight ball bowler to angle across the alley at the 1-3 pocket—that is, between the one and three pins into the five pin. The hook ball bowler places the ball in the same spot, the ball traveling toward the three pin and then hooking onto the 1-3 pocket toward the five pin.

The spot of release will remain the same on all deliveries for the straight ball bowler in most cases, but the hook ball bowler may have to move in slightly—or move out toward the gutter—depending on the width of her hook.

The spot will vary, too, for hook bowlers, depending on the condition of the alley. If the alley is fast—that is, if the ball tends to skid on a slick surface—the bowler moves out toward the gutter, angling across the boards at the 1-3 pocket. If the alley is slow—if the ball grabs and is likely to hook across in front of the 1-3 pocket—the bowler moves in, aiming his ball out toward the right-hand gutter (for the right-handed bowlers), to bring the wide hook into the 1-3 pocket.

Dahlgren Goes To the Phillies

PHILADELPHIA, March 11 (AP).—The Phillies in their first "big deal" under the new regime of Bill Cox and Bucky Harris today traded Infielder Al Glossop and Outfielder Lloyd Waner to the Brooklyn Dodgers for First Baseman Ellsworth (Babe) Dahlgren.

"It was a straight trade, with no cash involved," declared Cox, youthful thirty-three-year-old president.

Ball Player Quits

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 11 (AP).—Ab Wright, one of the American Association's power hitters, won't play baseball this year, and maybe never again, all because a fan threw a bottle in a game in Kansas City last Fall.

Wright, thirty-four, Minneapolis right fielder, today advised President Mike Kelley, of the Millers, that he was returning his contract unsigned "because my baseball days are over." He went on to explain:

"I suffer severe attacks of dizziness whenever I try to exercise or exert myself. My physician says it is due to my being struck on the head by a bottle at Kansas City last September. He advises that I cannot play baseball this year, maybe never again."

Minneapolis and Kansas City were playing a night game last September 1 when Wright was struck by a bottle thrown by a fan in the stands. The fan who threw the bottle was extradited from his home in Kansas for trial in Kansas City, but he was inducted into the army before a date for his trial was set.

The big outfielder, whose major league career with Cleveland never reached the success he made in the double circuit, was ranked as one of the association's leading extra base hitters. He holds the all-time association record for the most bases in one game, nineteen. He established this mark July 4, 1940, in a game against St. Paul by hammering out four home runs and a triple.

At the Theatres

Dramatic Comedy Now at Dominion

Monty Woolley and Ida Lupino are starred in "Life Begins at Eight-Thirty," a film of heart-warming humor and tender drama opening today at the Dominion Theatre.

Preview critics the country over have hailed the outstanding film, claiming that it maintains the difficult blend of farcical comedy and serious drama throughout. The story is said to be rich with the humor of a man who laughed and let the world go by . . . tender with the courage of a girl who would not forfeit her right to romance.

The Twentieth Century-Fox picture features Cornel Wilde, Sara Allgood, Melville Cooper, J. Edward Bromberg and Edward Demarest. It was produced and written by Nunnally Johnson from a play by Emlyn Williams, and directed by Irving Pichel.

PLAZA THEATRE George Murphy, who portrays an ace photographer in United Artists release, "The Powers Girl," which is currently playing at the Plaza Theatre, is happy that he has a role which doesn't require dancing. Nights off, which number more than half during the week, George can be found at the Hollywood Canteen, going through intricate dance routines to the delight of thousands of servicemen who know him as a wonder performer and a regular guy.

CAPITOL THEATRE Vaudeville never died. It simply packed up its belongings, took a long vacation, and finally opened up shop again in Hollywood. This was in evidence when "For Me and My Gal" was being filmed on the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer lot, not only because the stars of the picture were dancing the old steps, singing the old songs and telling the old jokes, but there was a feeling on the set that reminded the old-timers of the glory of the Palace Theatre on Monday matinee. "For Me and My Gal" is now showing at the Capitol Theatre.

YORK THEATRE It takes Errol Flynn fifteen minutes each morning to get his face dirty for certain scenes of his new Warner Bros. picture, "Desperate Journey," now at the York Theatre. Since the smudges have to match from one day to the next, a make-up expert dirties Flynn's face while the actor lies back in a barber chair. It is a pleasant if unexciting way to get one's face dirty, thinks Flynn, who adds that he has never had much trouble during his life in getting himself a dirty face.

ATLAS THEATRE Red Skelton is starred in M.-G.-M.'s hilarious comedy, "Whistling in Dixie," which is now playing at the Atlas Theatre. Supporting the famous comedian of "I Dood It" fame are Ann Rutherford, George Bancroft, Diana Lewis and Guy Kibbee. S. Sylvan Simon, who directed "Whistling in the Dark," again directed the comedian in a comical adventure of "The Fox," radio detective, with a group of murderous plotters in a Southern town.

CADET THEATRE Hollywood's juveniles, paced by Mickey Rooney, score another "strike" in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "A Yank at Eton," which is now showing at the Cadet Theatre. Mickey takes part in one of the wildest and funniest fight scenes ever filmed, plays football, cricket and a couple of Eton games called "fives" and the "field game," runs a steeplechase and wears a top hat.

RIO THEATRE A collection of more than 2,500 photographs of the Burma Road was used by the Universal Studio technical experts in reproducing the Chinese life-line to Chungking for "Burma Convoy," currently at the Rio Theatre featuring Charles Bickford, Evelyn Ankers and Frank Albertson.

Amusements

On the Screen

Atlas—Red Skelton and Ann Rutherford in "Whistling in Dixie."

Cadet—Mickey Rooney starred in "A Yank at Eton."

Capitol—"For Me and My Gal," starring Judy Garland and George Murphy.

Dominion—Monty Woolley and Ida Lupino in "Life Begins at Eight-Thirty."

Oak Bay—James Cagney and Ann Sheridan in "Torrid Zone."

Plaza—"The Powers Girl," starring Carole Landis, George Murphy and Anne Shirley.

Rio—"Burma Convoy," with Charles Bickford and Evelyn Ankers.

York—Errol Flynn and Ronald Reagan in "Desperate Journey."

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LAST TWO DAYS—TODAY and SAT.
At 12:02, 2:19, 4:36, 6:53, 9:10
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Judy GARLAND
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Marta EGGERTH - Ben BLUE
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"PORTRAIT OF A GENIUS"
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"WILD HONEY"
CARTOON IN COLOR
CAPITOL WORLD NEWS
Capitol

TODAY and SAT.
At 1:41, 4:23, 7:08, 9:47
HE DOOD IT IN DIXIE
RED SKELTON
IN
WHISTLING IN DIXIE
WITH ANN RUTHERFORD
ALSO
THE MAN WHO LIVED TWICE
"STREET OF CHANCE"
WITH BURGESS MEREDITH
ATLAS

PLATZ IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, March 11 (CP).—Officials of No. 2 Training Command announced late today that Paul Platz, former player with Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League, has been posted to No. 8 Repair Depot here and will line up with R.C.A.F. Bombers Hockey Club.

Platz, who was posted at a West Coast station, played with the R.C.A.F. team at Victoria this season.

He will join the Winnipeg team just before it leaves for Port Arthur tonight to meet Bearcats Saturday in the first game of a best-of-five Allan Cup play-off series.

WORK AMONG JAPANESE

NELSON, B.C., March 11 (CP).—At the request of Most Rev. M. M. Johnson, Bishop of Nelson, four Sisters of the Assumption of Nicolet will arrive shortly in this diocese to work among Japanese at Kaslo and in the Slocan.

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Plaza
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CADET
TODAY and SATURDAY
He's a Lease-Lend "Bundle for Britain"
MICKEY ROONEY in "A YANK AT ETON"
PLUS — "TOMBSTONE," RICHARD DIX, FRANCIS GIFFORD
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To Use Helicopters

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—Britain intends to use helicopters for the protection of shipping convoys, H. H. Balfour, Undersecretary for Air, disclosed in the House of Commons today.

The wingless machines are supported and driven by an overhead propeller. They can land and take off vertically from a space as small as a ship's deck and thus could travel all the way across the ocean with a convoy.

Lacks Confirmation

NEW YORK, March 11 (AP).—A special German communique broadcast by the Berlin radio and recorded by The Associated Press claimed today thirteen Allied ships totaling 73,000 tons had been sunk by U-boats from a convoy en route from North America to Britain, increasing to thirty-six the number of vessels claimed in the last twenty-four hours as destroyed. There was no Allied confirmation.

The communique asserted three other ships were damaged.

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Liquor Vendors Close Stores to Maintain Stocks

In an effort to make great-depleted quota of liquor go as far as possible, both liquor stores in Victoria closed their doors before 11:30 a.m. yesterday. They had opened at 10 a.m.

[illegible]

J. F. Kennedy, chairman of the Liquor Control Board [illegible]

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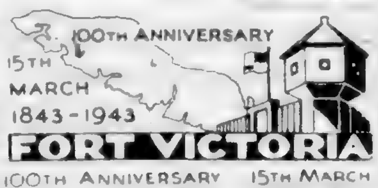
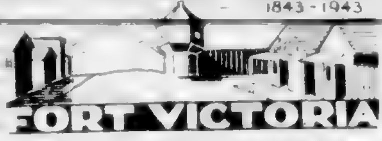
Criminal Trials Brought to Close

Four Remanded for Sentence Today

[illegible]

Victoria Cancellation Stamps





Designed by George E. Wellburn of [illegible] the top illustration shows two of [illegible] postal cancellation stamps which will be used on all first class letter mail in Victoria between [illegible]

[illegible] coast Island than that of British Columbia but originally at [illegible] the site of Camosun and the Fort Victoria a Hudson's Bay Company trading post. Mr. Wellburn designed both stamps [illegible]

[illegible]

Attorney-General To Address Class At Gordon Head

[illegible]

City and District

Traffic Cases — Three motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for parking [illegible]

Is Remanded — [illegible] Yates Street [illegible]

Courage Needed To Rebuild World States Chaplain

"War has bombed the status quo [illegible]

[illegible]

Life in Cariboo Gold Rush Hard

Prospectors Died Seeking Treasure

[illegible]

CAUSED LOSS OF LIQUOR

[illegible]

To Mark Historic Sites With Plaques Sunday Afternoon

In connection with centenary celebrations, the British Columbia Historical Association [illegible] in Victoria on Sunday, when plaques will be unveiled.

The cavalcade will start from the Parliament Buildings at 2 p.m. It will go from there to the mooring rings on Wharf Street opposite Fort Street, where first of the six plaques will be unveiled.

It will then go to the old MacDonald Block on Yates Street for the unveiling of the second plaque and will proceed from there to the site of the original Boys' School, the first school building in Victoria, at Yates Street opposite Camosun Street, where the third plaque will be [illegible]

From there the cavalcade will go to the Windsor Hotel, which was the first brick building in the city, at Courtney and Government Streets, thence to Helmcken House on Elliot Street, and from there will go to the old Legislative Building on Superior Street at the rear of the present Parliament Buildings where the final plaque will be unveiled.

West Coast Indians Issued Ration Books

[illegible]

Local Health Officer Describes Efforts to Curb Social Diseases

[illegible]

Salt Spring Resident Dies in Hospital Here

[illegible]

DICKENS FELLOWSHIP

[illegible]

Zoning Board to Ask Council to Check Lot Subdivisions

Small Frontages Cause of Trouble

[illegible]

Street Cars Stalled During Power Failure

[illegible]

Enlist in Army

[illegible]

Announcements

Victoria Musical Art Society [illegible]

Wishbone Tearooms [illegible] Open 8.15 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.

Anyone Desiring Reservations for [illegible] March 15 please [illegible]

Free—New Colonist Tabloid Cook Book. Circulation Department, The Colonist.

Free Tabloid of Global War Maps. [illegible] The Colonist.

Obituary

[illegible]

JOHNSON—[illegible]

HENDERSON—[illegible]

[illegible]

MARSH—[illegible]

WINNER—[illegible] Burial Park.

CROWTHER—Rt. Rev. Monsignor A. G. Baker sang the Requiem Mass [illegible] at St. Andrew's [illegible]

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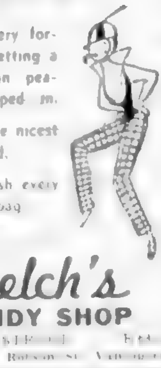
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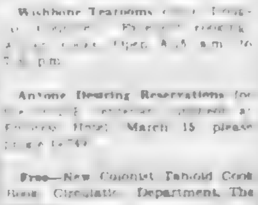
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Pacific Daylight Time

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX, CJVI)
Rain Parade (KOMO)
[illegible] (KJR)
[illegible]
Breakfast Club (KOL)

8:15 A.M.—[illegible] (CJVI)
[illegible]

8:30 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KOMO)
[illegible] (KIRO)
[illegible] (CJOR)
Just About Time (KVA)

8:45 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KIRO)
[illegible] (KJR)
News (KVA)

9:00 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KOMO)
[illegible] (KIRO)
[illegible] (KOL)
[illegible] (CKWX)

9:15 A.M.—[illegible]

9:30 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KIRO)

9:45 A.M.—[illegible]

10:00 A.M.—Betty and Bob [illegible]
[illegible] (KOMO)
[illegible] (KJR)
[illegible] (CKWX)

10:15 A.M.—Hymn of the Week (CJVI)
[illegible]

10:30 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible]

10:45 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible]

11:00 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KIRO)

Radio Highlights

4.00 p.m.—Good Luck Program. CBR.

7:00 p.m.—Comedy Caravan. KIRO, KNX.

7:30 p.m.—Dollars for Scholars. CJVI.

8:00 p.m.—Radio Newsreel. CBR.

9:00 p.m.—Kate Smith Hour. KIRO.

9:30 p.m.—Adventures of the Thin Man. KIRO.

9:30 p.m.—Sophisticated Strings. CBR.

10.15 p.m.—Isabelle McEwan, Songs. CBR.

11:15 A.M.—[illegible]
[illegible] (KVA)

11:30 A.M.—[illegible]

11:45 A.M.—[illegible]

12:00 [illegible]

12:05 P.M.—[illegible] (KVA)

12:10 P.M.—[illegible]

12:15 P.M.—[illegible]

12:30 P.M.—[illegible]

12:45 [illegible]

1:00 P.M.—[illegible]

1:10 P.M.—[illegible]

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1:30 P.M.—[illegible]

1:45 P.M.—[illegible]

2:00 P.M.—[illegible]

2:15 P.M.—[illegible] (KOMO)

2:25 P.M.—[illegible]

2:30 P.M.—[illegible] (CJVI)
Music Lover [illegible] (CKWX)

2:45 P.M.—[illegible] (CBR)
[illegible] (KOMO)

3:00 P.M.—Messer's Islanders (CBR). The Road of Life (KOMO)
News (KJR)
[illegible]

3:10 [illegible]

3:15 P.M.—[illegible]

3:30 P.M.—[illegible] (CBR)
The Brown Village (KOMO)
Gospel Singer (KJR)
Keep [illegible] America (KIRO)

3:45 P.M.—[illegible] (CJVI)

4:00 P.M.—[illegible] (KOMO)

4:15 P.M.—[illegible]

4:30 P.M.—[illegible]

4:45 P.M.—[illegible]

5:00 [illegible]

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CJVI Newscasts

8:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M.
12:30 P.M.
6:30 P.M.
10:30 P.M.

In addition, CJVI broadcasts a one-minute news resume every hour on the hour, from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m.

BBC broadcasts direct from London at 9 a.m. and [illegible] CBR.

[illegible] (KVA)

8:00 P.M.—[illegible]
Watch the World Go By (KJR)
Hour of [illegible] (KIRO)

8:15 P.M.—[illegible] (KOMO)

8:30 [illegible]

8:45 P.M.—[illegible]

9:00 [illegible]

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Key Station Frequencies

VICTORIA—
CJVI 1480
VANCOUVER—
CBR 1130 CJOR 600
CKWX 980
SEATTLE—
KIRO 710 KOMO 950
KJR 1000 KOL 1300
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SAN FRANCISCO—
KPO 680
OAKLAND—
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Damages Awarded

TORONTO, March 11 (CP)—In a judgment handed down today by Mr. Justice D. P. J. Kelly, Chief Constable D. C. Draper was ordered to pay damages totaling $16,729 to [illegible] of Port [illegible], Ont.

[illegible]

PAPER PLANT CLOSING

POWELL RIVER, B.C., March 11 (CP)—Officials of Powell River [illegible] the week beginning March 22.

[illegible]

Huge Purchase of Dice for Troops

[illegible] however, said Major Harold S. Giblin, head of the overseas resale and sale procurement section. "Our job is to supply little things that keep morale high."

"HONOR SYSTEM" FAILS

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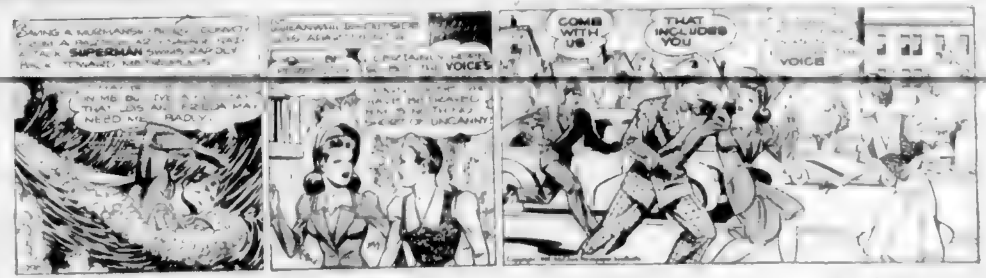
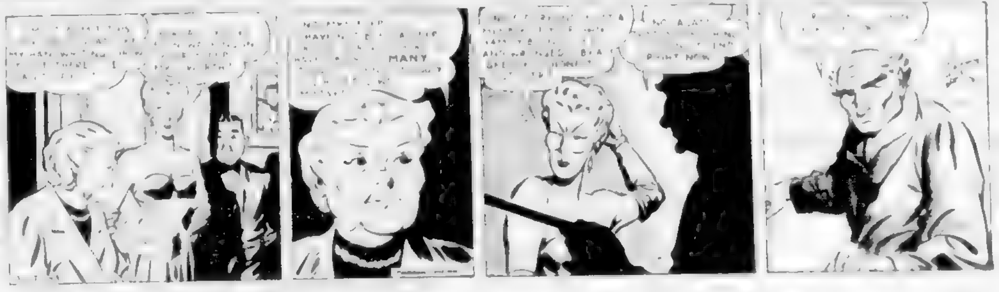
SUPERMAN
A Snatch
By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster


SAVING A MURMANSK-BOUND CONVOY FROM A PROWLING NAZI U-BOAT ATTACK, SUPERMAN SWIMS RAPIDLY BACK TOWARD METROPOLIS
IN ME BUT I'VE A FEELING THAT LOIS AND FREDA MAY NEED ME BADLY.
VOICES
SOMETHING UNCANNY!
COME WITH US
THAT INCLUDES YOU
VOICE

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY
By Dale Allen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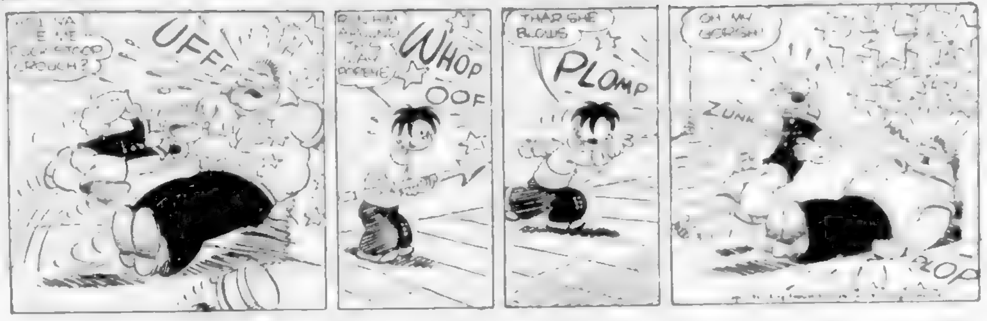
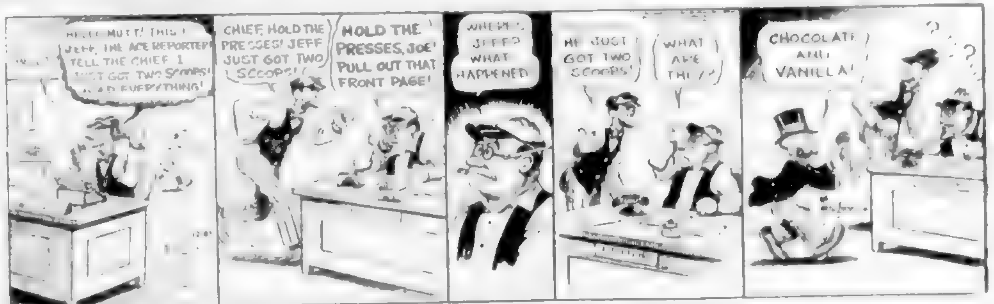
RIGHT NOW

POPEYE


UFF
WHOP
OOF
THAR SHE BLOWS
PLOMP
OH MY GORSH!
ZUNK
PLOP

MUTT AND JEFF
Second Editor Now Running
By Bud Fisher


HELLO MUTT! THIS IS JEFF, THE ACE REPORTER! TELL THE CHIEF I JUST GOT TWO SCOOPS! HOLD EVERYTHING!
CHIEF, HOLD THE PRESSES! JEFF JUST GOT TWO SCOOPS!
HOLD THE PRESSES, JOE! PULL OUT THAT FRONT PAGE!
WHERE'S JEFF? WHAT HAPPENED?
HE JUST GOT TWO SCOOPS!
WHAT ARE THEY?
CHOCOLATE AND VANILLA!
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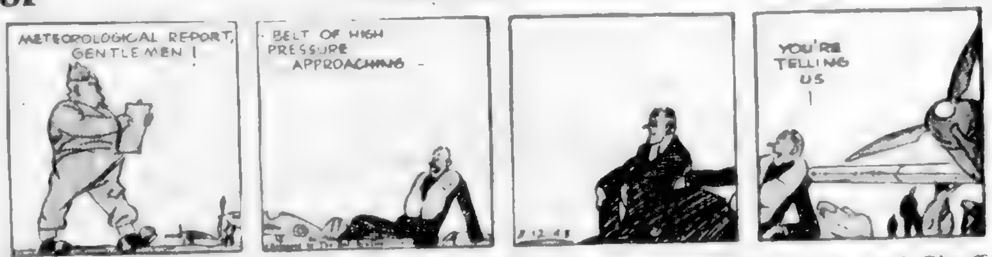
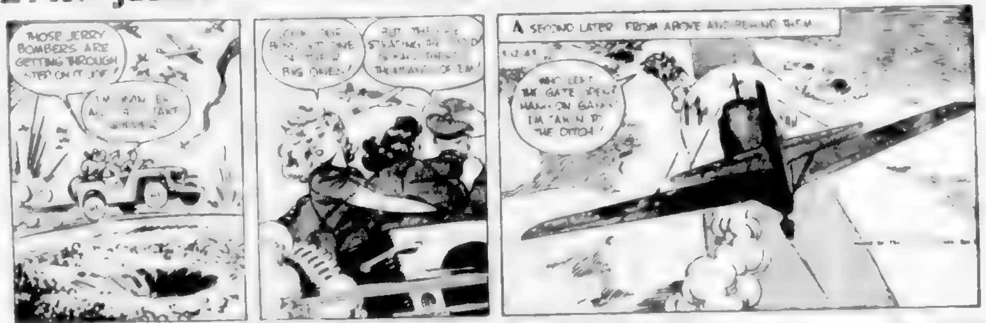
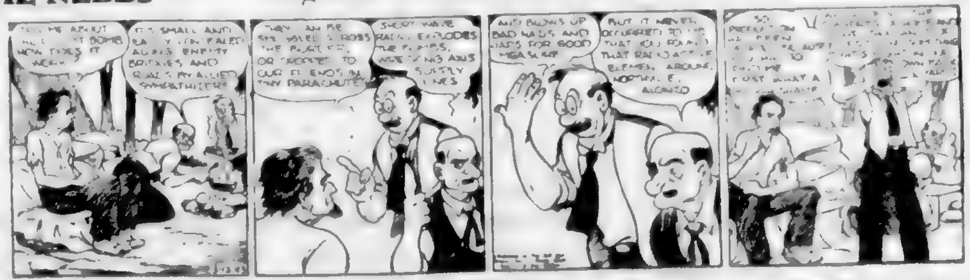
POP
Plainly Seen
By J. Millar Watt


METEOROLOGICAL REPORT, GENTLEMEN!
BELT OF HIGH PRESSURE APPROACHING -
YOU'RE TELLING US!

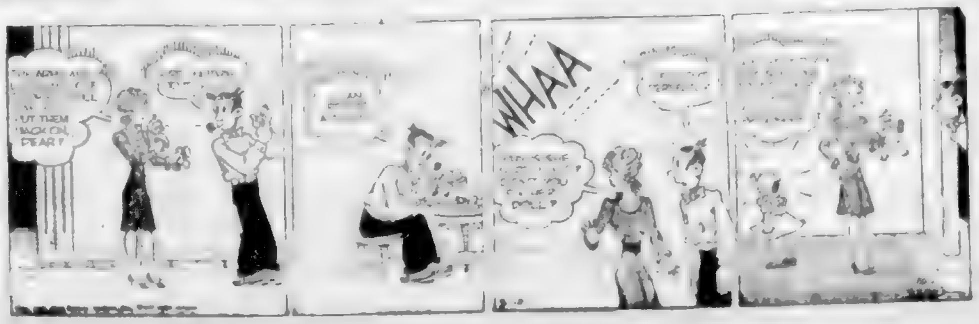
FLYIN' JENNY
Streaking Death!
By Keaton and Chaffin


THOSE JERRY BOMBERS ARE GETTING THROUGH. STEP ON IT, JOE!
BIG ONES!
A SECOND LATER FROM ABOVE AND BEHIND THEM
THE DITCH!

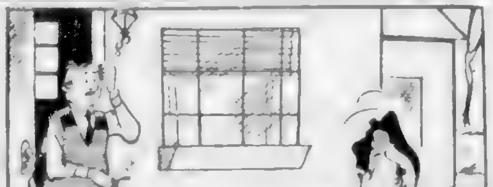
THE NEBBS
Right in His Own Back Yard!
By HESS


TELL ME ABOUT THE [illegible] BOMB. HOW DOES IT WORK?
IT'S SMALL AND EASILY CONCEALED. AXIS ENEMY BRIDGES AND ROADS BY ALLIED SYMPATHIZERS
THEY CAN BE [illegible] THE RUBBER [illegible] OR "DROPPED" TO OUR FRIENDS IN TINY PARACHUTES
SHORT WAVE RADIO EXPLODES THE FLARES, WRECKING AXIS SUPPLY LINES
AND BLOWS UP BAD NAZIS AND JAPS FOR GOOD MEASURE
BUT IT NEVER OCCURRED TO ME THAT YOU FOUND THAT RADIO ACTIVE ELEMENT AROUND NORTHVILLE, ALONZO

BLONDIE
"Don't Say It's Double Jointed"
By Chic Young

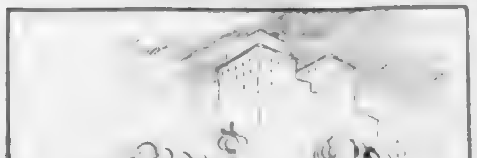

PUT THEM BACK ON, DEAR?
WHAA

LIFE'S LIKE THAT
By Fred Neher



"You won't be so pleased about me going home to mother when I tell you that I'm taking your ration books with me!"

QUICKIES



"You figure out where we'll go—it was your idea to put in our Colonist Want Ad that immediate possession could be had of the house!"

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Halifax Airman Receives British Empire Medal for Gallant Rescue Of Gunner Injured in Plane Crash

Crew of Whitley Bomber Saved Through Use of Lindholme Gear

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—How W.O. Roy (Steve) Longard, of Halifax, and four other members of his Whitley bomber crew were saved through the use of the Lindholme gear after being forced down in a minefield off the Devon coast in a sixty-mile-an-hour gale is described in a press release issued tonight by air force headquarters.

Longard was awarded the British Empire Medal for his cool handling of the aircraft and the gallant rescue of his injured gunner, Sgt. Jack McDonald, of Toronto, who unfortunately died before help came. The men were adrift thirty-one and one-half hours before being picked up by a Polish destroyer and put ashore at a spot where they were transferred to a Canadian Red Cross hospital.

The Lindholme rescue gear was adopted recently by the R.C.A.F.

Longard, captain of a bomber detailed to escort British shipping, left before dawn. In less than an hour's flying he saw by his instruments that his port engine had developed oil trouble. It caught fire a moment later; the flames were promptly put out with the fire extinguisher, but the engine was useless. Almost immediately, his starboard engine showed the same kind of oil trouble. The plane lost height rapidly.

"I ordered the crew to 'crash stations,' as it was obvious the aircraft would soon be in the sea," said Longard. "In some way, I do not know, Sgt. McDonald, who was in the front turret, broke his arm getting out of the turret and was unable to climb into the cabin, so he took up his crash position in the well of the aircraft."

FLYERS CAN ABSORB TERRIFIC SHOCK

(Air experience has shown that aircrew can brace themselves so as to absorb the terrific shock of an aircraft hitting the water with little injury to themselves if they adopt certain positions against solid parts of the plane's interior—known to them as "crash stations.")

Longard said he made a "reasonably good" tail-down landing—a fine feat of flying on the storm-lashed ocean. The plane rode the first three giant waves, but the fourth crashed clean over it, breaking open the front and filling it with water. Sgt. Johnny Humphreys, an English lad flying as tail gunner, launched the plane's small rubber dinghy. It inflated, but was overturned by a wave.

Meantime, Longrad was struggling to lift the injured gunner, McDonald, from the well of the plane. In the crash, McDonald's leg had been broken, in addition to his arm. Longard pushed him through the upper escape hatch, sea water churning and boiling around him.

"With the help of other members of the crew, I carried him down and dropped him in the water, and we subsequently got him into the dinghy," Longrad said. The plane floated eight minutes after it was "ditched." The crew, soaked to the skin, shivered in the early dawn.

A knife slipped as they opened the emergency kit of food and flares, and cut a half-inch gash in the rubber of the dinghy. The gas was escaping rapidly. Hastily, one of the crew produced a package of chewing gum. The flyers chewed madly, then sealed the gash with lumps of gum, holding it with their hands. The bellows pump was found and air pumped into the dinghy every half hour.

At 9 o'clock a plane flew overhead. They fired a distress rocket. When it turned around, however, the aircraft lost sight of them. They fired more rockets. Eventually the plane, circling for a time in a systematic search, went away. Sgt. McDonald, fatally injured, uttered not a word of complaint.

SKY SEEMED TO FILL WITH BRITISH PLANES

At 8:30 the next morning, twenty-eight hours after receiving his injuries, McDonald died in his sleep. At 10 o'clock, a Wellington bomber sighted them and dropped a smoke float to mark their position. When it flew away, the airmen did not know what to think. In a few moments, however, the sky seemed to fill with aircraft—Ansons, Lysanders, Wellingtons, Whitleys.

One of the Ansons dropped the Lindholme rescue gear from its bomb bay. The dinghy in the Lindholme rescue inflated as soon as it hit the water. After a struggle, the waiting airmen reached the second dinghy, much larger than that in which they had escaped from the sinking aircraft. With considerable effort they transferred McDonald's body into the second craft and collapsed, exhausted.

After a breathing spell, they hauled in the waterproof kegs attached to the dinghy and pulled out a first-aid kit, cigarettes, tinned food and drink. Among the supplies were tins of Canadian apple juice.

"It was the best drink we ever had," said W.O. Longard.

Shortly before noon, a Polish destroyer loomed out of the fog. Polish sailors carried the men aboard and treated them "like kings."

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Spending Furlough in Victoria

SQUADRON LEADER A. P. PHILIPSEN, R.A.F.

Son of Captain and Mrs. J. A. Philipsen, 1618 Wilmot Place, who has been on special duty in Canada for some time, arrived home yesterday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Philipsen. He will spend a short furlough here before returning to his duties.

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Sqdn. Ldr. Leonard Joseph Birchall, the Canadian airman who gave the alarm before last Easter's Japanese air raid on Ceylon and had been unreported since, today was listed by the R.C.A.F. as a prisoner of war. Birchall was credited widely with providing a warning in enough time to permit Ceylon's defences to turn back the Japanese raid with heavy losses to the enemy.

A few weeks ago a letter was received in Seattle from a prisoner in Japanese hands saying that Birchall was safe and his wife subsequently received similar advice, but not until today did the R.C.A.F. officially confirm that the Canadian flyer was alive. He had been officially listed as missing on active service since his disappearance last Easter.

Birchall's wife, Mrs. L. J. Birchall, lives at Saint John, N.B. His parents live in St. Catharines, Ont. Birchall was reported a prisoner in today's R.C.A.F. casualty list, 520th air force list since the war began. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas—Killed on active service, F.O. David Bernard Lawrence McMahon, Ottawa; P.O. George Careon Whitmore, Fort Frances, Ont.; Sgt. Gerald Russell Avey, Norwich, Ont.; Sgt. Ernest Maxwell Bell, Montreal; R118059 Sgt. John Hannah Black, W. S. Black (father), 3350 37th Avenue, W., Vancouver; Sgt. Rene Rodger Landry, Norman, Ont. Missing on active service after air operations, Flt. Lt. John Herbert Long, West Saint John, N.B.; F.O. John Samuel McKendy, Bathurst, N.B. Previously reported missing on active service, now reported prisoner of war, Sqdn. Ldr. Leonard Joseph Birchall, Saint John, N.B. Prisoner of war, F.O. Harold Williamson, Gladwin, Mich.

Previously reported missing and believed killed on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead, P.O. Robert Samuel Patterson, Calgary; Sgt. Clarence Oswald O'Brien, Arnprior, Ont. Previously reported missing on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead, P.O. Mitchell George Abey, Chater, Man.; P.O. Donald Howard Peters, St. James, Man.; W.O. Denis Brien McGrath, Winnipeg; W.O. William Lawrence Scott, Yorkton, Sask.; Flt. Sgt. Ivan Lee Charbonneau, Schreiber, Ont.; Flt. Sgt. James Edward Cole, Northwood, Middlesex, Eng.; Flt. Sgt. Hugh Douglas MacPhee, Debert, N.S.; Flt. Sgt. William Tait, Toronto; R74892 William John Andrew McLachlan, H. M. McLachlan (father), Vernon, B.C.; R58684 John Gerald Purcell, Mrs. Rose Purcell (mother), 1222 Alberni Street, Vancouver. Seriously ill, F.O. Ralph Bruce Hopkins, Battleford, Sask.

Canada—Killed on active service Flt. Lt. Richard Arthur Miles, D.F.C., Middleton, N.S.; P.O. James Lorne Kenneth Daly, Montreal; P.O. Thomas Omar Proulx, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Sgt. George Beverley, Winnipeg. Died from natural causes A.W. Isabel Luella Young, Montreal. Missing and believed killed on active service during flying operations, J12025 John Basil Bond, Mrs. C. H. Bond (mother), Kelowna, B.C.; P.O. John Nathan Treadwell, Ottawa.

Canadian in the R.A.F. overseas, previously reported missing on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead, P.O. Donald Allan Tedford, Windsor, Ont.

BLACKHEADS

Blackheads go quickly by a simple method that dissolves them. Get two ounces of peroxine powder from your druggist, apply with a hot, wet cloth gently over the blackheads—and you will wonder where they have gone.

Victory Scored by British Gunboats

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—British motor gunboats scored a real Empire victory when they engaged German E-boats early on Monday, destroying one and scattering the others, it was disclosed today.

In command of the British boats, an Admiralty communique announced Tuesday, was Lieut. J. S. Price, of Blackpool, England.

With him in other boats were two Canadians, Lieut. C. A. Burk, R.C.N.V.R., of Toronto, and Petty Officer J. Casey, of Halifax, as well as an Australian and a New Zealander.

The only casualty among the British crews in the half hour of action was a grazed wrist from a bullet, suffered by a crew member.

WASHINGTON, March 11 (AP).—A small United States merchant vessel was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine late in February in the mid-Atlantic, the Navy Department announced today. Survivors have been landed at Boston and New York.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that the Middle Ground gas buoy, Nanaimo Harbor, B.C., has been dragged out of position. This buoy will be replaced in its correct position as soon as possible.

Mariners are advised as follows:

1. Reference local Notice to Mariners dated March 8, 1943, reporting a square wooden platform buoy submerged 400 feet off Maud Island light, Seymour Narrows, B.C. This submerged buoy has now been cleared from the channel.

2. The black wooden spar buoy marking edge of shoal off Millstone Creek, Nanaimo Harbor, B.C., is reported dragged out of position approximately 500 yards in a southeasterly direction. This buoy will be replaced in correct position as soon as possible.

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VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 9:45 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 4:45 a.m.

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VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands; Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 4:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday), at 8:30 a.m. for Gabriola.

U-Boat Pack Chased Off In Atlantic

One Submarine and Possibly Two Sunk

OTTAWA, March 11 (CP).—Stoker Petty Officer David H. McVie, of Victoria, a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Service, said today in an interview distributed by naval service headquarters that he and most of his crewmates on a Canadian corvette were sure they got two submarines during a fifty-four-hour spell at action stations in the North Atlantic.

McVie's shop was credited officially with one U-boat during the battle with two other R.C.N. vessels against a pack of German U-boats. They kept up the hunt until the last submarine had been chased away. The convoy they were escorting steamed on without them.

A naval service headquarters spokesman said the sinking of the one submarine by McVie's ship, which was not named in today's press release, had been made public previously.

The interview with McVie was obtained at an Eastern Canadian port. McVie stood watch by an ammunition hatch while the battle was in progress.

"We were returning to port after a long period at sea," he said, "when we received an emergency call to speed to a certain point several miles out and join a convoy which was being attacked.

"In a few minutes orders were flying and our bow was pointed to the open sea. Two more ships joined us and we lost no time in reaching our destination.

THREE SHIPS WENT INTO SEA BATTLE

"Action stations were sounded before we arrived and our three ships went into battle with the subs. I don't know how many there were but the 'fish' were flying and a merchant ship had been hit.

"I guess we frightened them off though because things got quieter after we arrived. Maybe they didn't like our depth charges and shells. But we were officially credited with getting one sub during the fight and most of us were sure we got another one."

Before joining the R.C.N.R. in September, 1939, McVie spent fifteen years as a merchant seaman.

In 1929 he survived the sinking of a merchant ship off the Aleutian Islands and was in the water nearly twelve hours before being rescued.

"But that didn't bother me," chuckled McVie, who weighs about 200 pounds. "With all this fat, how could I sink?"

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Several new barges are being made in Vancouver and will be shipped north and assembled there about the end of May.

Loss of Submarine

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—The Admiralty tonight announced the loss of the submarine P311 and her commander, Richard Douglas Cayley, D.S.O., rated as one of the outstanding submarine captains of the war.

As commander of the submarine Utmost he was credited with sinking 69,000 tons of Axis shipping in fifteen months. He was thirty-four and had won two bars to the D.S.O.

The P311 was of wartime construction and her details were a secret.

Entry Through Ranks

WINNIPEG, March 11 (CP).—Civilians no longer will be accepted directly into the executive branch of the navy as officers, it was announced here today by Lieut. D. C. Mackintosh, officer commanding the Manitoba naval training centre, H.M.C.S. Chippawa.

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2 DEATHS

COLTON—There passed away at the family residence, 541 Toronto Street, on Thursday, March 11, 1943, Mrs. Mable Emily Colton, aged sixty-nine years. The late Mrs. Colton was born in London, England, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirty-three years. She is survived by three sons, Alfred, in New Westminster; Stanley, in Vancouver, and Leslie, at home; three daughters, Mrs. Henry King, 1664 Hampshire Road; Mrs. Gordon Ashman and Mrs. K. Cameron, both of Victoria; also nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 3 o'clock in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Limited. Rev. Canon Ernest V. Bird will officiate and interment will be in the family plot in the Colwood Burial Park.

MARSH—There passed away Monday at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Elizabeth Marsh, aged eighty-one years. Born in Folkestone, England, a resident of this city for the last twenty-nine years, of late residing with her daughter, Mrs. G. Sims, of 537 Constance Avenue. She is survived by one daughter, two sons, Joseph Edward and George Thomas, of Victoria; twelve grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral will take place on Friday, March 12, at 1:30, at the Sands Mortuary Chapel. Rev. R. C. S. Devenish will officiate. Interment family plot, Colwood.

LISTER—The funeral of Edward Lister was held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday, Rev. Canon E. V. Bird officiating. The following were pallbearers: R. J. Finmore, D. W. O'Brien, representing the Naval Veterans; J. H. Allen and E. Gough. Interment took place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

The late Mr. Lister is survived by one sister, Mrs. Adelaide Baker, in Beverly Hills, Calif., and one cousin, Mrs. K. M. Cann, of Metchosin, V.I.

PELL—On March 11, 1943, at the family residence, 931 Foul Bay Road, Mrs. Elizabeth Pell, widow of Thornton Pell, in her seventy-seventh year, born in Belleville, Ont., and a resident of Victoria for forty-three years. She leaves two sons, J. N. T. Pell, C.A.A., and A. T. Pell, Victoria, and one brother, Judge J. A. Forin, of Vancouver. She was a member of the Red Cross and Women's Canadian Club.

Private funeral service at the residence on Monday, Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns officiating. Cremation at Royal Oak. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. directors.

SHAW—There passed away at the St. Joseph's Hospital on Thursday, March 11, 1943, Mr. John James Shaw, aged seventy-eight years. The late Mr. Shaw was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and had been a resident of Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island, for the past thirty-six years. He is survived by, besides his widow, three daughters, Mrs. L. D. B. Drummond, Misses Gladys and Cree Shaw, and one son, William J. Shaw, all at the family residence, Fulford Harbor; also one brother and one sister, in Glasgow, Scotland, and one sister in Helensburgh, Scotland.

The cortege will leave the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Limited, on Saturday, March 13, 1943, at 8 o'clock, for St. Mary's Church, Fulford Harbor, where Rev. Archdeacon G. H. Holmes will conduct the funeral services at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in the Church Cemetery.

JOHNSON—There passed away in Victoria on Thursday, March 11, 1943, Mr. Joseph Johnson. The late Mr. Johnson, who was eighty-five years of age, was born in Manchester, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last six months, and a former resident of Vancouver for many years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Amelia Johnson, of Victoria.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Sands Mortuary, Ltd.

(Vancouver papers please copy.)

HENDERSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Thursday, March 11, Magnus Robert Henderson, of Elk Lake, aged forty-five years. The late Mr. Henderson was born in Duncan, V.I., and had been a resident of this city for the past twenty-three years. He served overseas with the 103rd Battalion in the first Great War. He leaves to mourn his loss his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson, Seven Oaks, and one sister, Miss Laura Henderson, of Cranbrook, B.C.

Funeral services will be conducted in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park. (No flowers, by request.)

GOVE—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday, March 10, David Gove, of 458 Obed Avenue, Saanich. The late Mr. Gove was born in Forfarshire, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the last sixteen years.

Funeral services will be conducted in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. T. G. McAllister will officiate. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES (Continued)

OFFICER'S FAMILY REQUIRE FURnished house, 3 or more bedrooms. Beacon 2015.

WANTED—FURNISHED FOUR OR FIVEroom house. Phone E 1364.

57B UNFURNISHED

PARTLY OR UNFURNISHED HOUSE OR rooms wanted. Urgently needed. Serviceman's wife, 3 babies. Within 5- [illegible] between 3 and 7 p.m.

UNFURNISHED HOUSE OR APARTment wanted to rent. $40. E 2267.

WANTED TO RENT IN VICTORIA—Four-room modern home for same in Nanaimo. For particulars write Mrs. Grais, 228 Machleary Street, Nanaimo, B.C.

WANTED — FOUR - ROOM HOUSE OR suite close in. Reliable tenants. Fairfield district preferred. Box 5249, Colonist.

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65 AUTOMOBILES

AUTO PAINTING, FENDER REPAIRS, expert work. Mooney's Body Shop, 914 Cormorant. Empire 5012.

65A FOR SALE

A 1936 PLYMOUTH FOUR-DOOR SEDAN—Knee action, floating power, hydraulic brakes, steel body, poor tires, but good price . . . $275
W. FRANK CAMERON AUTO PARTS
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WE PAY CASH FOR USED CARS

1929 FORD MODEL "A" COUPE—Ready for work	$125
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1930 NASH SMALL "6" SEDAN—Nice shape	$165
1937 HUDSON TERRAPLANE SEDAN—A real buy	$465

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TODAY'S BEST BUYS

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1937 CHEVROLET COUPE	$625
1937 FORD DE LUXE FORDOR	$675
1938 FORD DE LUXE FORDOR	$695
1935 FORD FORDOR	$550
1937 PACKARD SEDAN	$895
1939 PLYMOUTH STATION WAGON	$995
1941 CHEVROLET MASTER DE LUXE COACH	$1050
1941 FORD SUPER DE LUXE SEDAN	$1145
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NATIONAL MOTOR CO., LTD.
819 Yates Street — G 8177
"We Buy Cars for Cash"

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1939 PONTIAC SEDAN—A BEAUTIFUL car at the right price. Has had the best of treatment and performs like new . . . $875

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Buick and Pontiac Cars — G.M.C. Trucks
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THREE CARS THAT WILL COMMAND YOUR INSTANT ATTENTION

1938 MORRIS "12" SEDAN—Good tires, new licence	$610
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1931 CHEVROLET 1½-ton truck . . . $250
JONES BROS.
Johnson at Quadra

UP-TO-DATE TRANSPORTATION
1940 PLYMOUTH CUSTOM SEDAN—With heater and defroster. Privately owned. Some mileage. In first-class condition. Price . . . $1080
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Chrysler - Plymouth - Dodge - De Soto

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1936 FORD V-8, 1943 LICENCE, NEW battery. Snap for cash. E 4053.

65B WANTED

CASH FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING. Cameron Bros., 1340 Craigflower. E 8298.

CASH FOR YOUR CAR — MASTERS Motor Co., Ltd.

CARS WANTED
WE WILL HANDLE YOUR CAR OR truck on a consignment basis or buy it outright for cash.
JONES BROS. CAR SALES DEPT.
Corner Johnson and Quadra
Phone E 8823

WE PAY CASH FOR USED CARS
JAMESON MOTORS, LTD.
740 Broughton St.

WANTED—LATE MODEL SEDAN. CASH deal. Phone after 1 p.m. E 8623.

WANTED — 1938 CHEVROLET, FOURdoor sedan preferred. Pay cash. E 5446.

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

ANCHORS, CHAINS, SHACKLES, MOORing buoys and Manila rope. Ship Chandlers (McQuade's), Ltd.

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TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

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75 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

WELL-BUILT HOUSE

ARRANGED IN TWO APARTMENTS OF three and six rooms and bath; automatic coal stoker. Rented to show return of 23 per cent on a cash investment of $2,150. Total price ... $3550

Situated in good district for continued occupation.

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GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE a revenue-producing house of eight rooms, all furnished and in good shape, situated within easy walking distance from business centre. Good reason for selling. Price $4,500. Less for all cash.

FLEMING GARDNER & CO.
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GENUINE LITTLE BUSINESS FOR SALE. Owner, after sixteen years in this business, is going back East. Candies, tobacco, confectionery, small groceries. Modest rental. Price for stock, fixtures, good will, all for $650 cash. Greenwood, 1241 Broad Street.

OWNER WILL RENT SUCCESSFUL newsstand-confectionery with comfortable modern living quarters to reliable couple. A good business and a good home for $22.50 monthly. Phone G arden 4071

1200 ITEMS—1200 BLOCK, DIGGON'S

76 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

EXCHANGE NICE SIX-ROOM HOUSE, basement, furnace, city limits, off Quadra, for smaller house. Box 5516, Colonist.

VANCOUVER — 6-ROOM FURNISHED bungalow, 21st Avenue, will exchange for furnished house in Victoria. Box 5533, Colonist.

77 LISTINGS CANCELLED

NOTICE TO REALTORS—MRS. LYNE has sold her home, 1441 May.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION—"SAANICH"
FIVE ROOMS AND BATHROOM

A BUNGALOW IN A 1 CONDITION INside and outside, with a good garden, fruit trees, berries, etc. Basement, garage, fireplace, light floors, modern plumbing. Various special built-in features. Low taxes. Close to bus. Price, terms ... $2995

$745 Cash. Discount for Half Cash, or All Cash Offers Invited

L. M. ROSEVEAR & CO., LTD.
540 Union Bldg., 612 View St. G 0061

ACTION WANTED
OFFERS INVITED

CITY—CENTRAL DUPLEX, TWO MAGnificent five-room suites, each with private balconies affording unparalleled rural, sea and mountain view. Automatic coal stoker. All spacious rooms. Two lots, fruit trees, vegetable garden, greenhouse. First suite rented $65, second suite rented $47.50. Immediate possession of one suite if desired. Price, on terms ... $4200

DALLAS ROAD—SOLIDLY BUILT 8-room home commanding wonderful sea view. Spacious living-room, open fireplace, dining-room, solid oak floors, five bedrooms, plumbing on each floor, modern kitchen, new Duroid roof. Full cement basement, furnace, washtubs. Wired for electric stove, gas in house. Garage. This classy home has never been rented, always owner occupied. Better built and more durable than most new homes. A perfect home plus investment. For quick sale ... $3650

EDWARD SPENCER & CO.
208 Scollard Building
Phone E 8734 Night E 0932

ALMOST NEW
STUCCO HOME

LIVING-ROOM WITH FIREPLACE, two bedrooms, kitchen with built-in fixtures, three-piece built-in bath, outer kitchen, good garden. Near transportation. Price

$2450

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES LTD.
800 Fort Street Phone G 1851

SEMI-BUNGALOW—SIX ROOMS

NEARLY NEW STUCCO — GROUND floor has lovely large living-room with brick fireplace, dining-room, breakfast nook and kitchen, one bedroom and modern bathroom; two bedrooms upstairs. Basement with laundry tubs and garage. Hot water heating, copper piping, extra outside garage. All in perfect condition. Low taxes. Price, on terms ... $4700

NEWSTEAD REALTY
1014 Broad Street Phone E 7194
Evenings, G 5300

NINE-ROOM HOUSE, TEN MINUTES' walk from business section. Price $1,800. Box 5438, Colonist.

OAK BAY, ON NICE QUIET STREET near Jubilee Hospital, six rooms. Living-room, dining-room and kitchen, three bedrooms; open fireplace; good basement, furnace; garage; nice lot, fruit trees. Taxes $29. Price ... $3150
Less for Cash Early Possession

JOHN GREENWOOD
1241 Broad Street

GORDON HEAD

PRODUCTIVE SOIL, 2½ ACRES, INcome-bearing, large and small fruits. House for two. Chicken house. City water and light. Owner retiring. Price ... $2500

LANGFORD—FIVE ACRES, BUNGALOW, six rooms. Cement basement, furnace heated, laundry, garage. Price ... $3500

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614 Broughton Street Phone E 5614

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CHOICE WATERFRONTAGE

ONLY $2500 EASY TERMS
Road Frontage 141.15—Excellent Beach

THIS IS ONE OF THE FINEST BUILDing sites, having a wonderful sea view. Yearly taxes $41.30. Choice soil. This requires quick action.

Exclusive Agents
R. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.
604 View Street Opposite Spencer's

WALKING DISTANCE. WELL-BUILT, six rooms and nook. Two bedrooms up. Newly decorated all through. Nice lot. Immediate possession ... $3500

FOUR MILES OUT. NEW STUCCO, three rooms, open fire, shower, no basement. Two fine view lots. Handy transportation. Cash ... $2150

A. S. MILLER
1308 Blanshard St. Empire 0822

ON HIGH QUADRA

$3000 CASH FOR THIS LOVELY 6-room semi-bungalow. Five years old. Stucco, all complete with fireplace, copper piping. Cement basement, piped furnace, garage. Nice garden, chicken house. Quick possession. Near school. Balance arranged. Price ... $4700

$3200—NINE-ROOM HOUSE. GOOD shape, large lot, Gorge Road. fine location, basement, etc. Owner-occupied.

CYRIL BURLIN
708 Bank of Toronto Bldg. E 1822

8 ACRES, CULTIVATED; SHACK; 8 miles. $2,000 cash. Barn, water.

$3500—SIX ROOMS, ½ MILE, VAcant. Redecorated. Easy terms.

7¼ ACRES, CULTIVATED, SEAFRONT, 7 miles. $1,800, terms.

$2700—FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, 1-mile circle. Easy terms.

FINANCIAL SURVEY, LTD.
128-30 Scollard Bldg. O. R. Lovell
Empire 1822 Evenings E 0673

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

I WANT TO BUY A BUNGALOW WITH the following features: Four rooms, stucco or white siding; living-room must have fireplace; basement and furnace; good condition, nice locality, near transportation. Reasonable taxes. Owner occupied. Please send particulars if your home is for sale and meets above qualifications, to

BOX 5493, COLONIST

[illegible] following features: Living-room with fireplace, den with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen and two or three bedrooms. Must be in good condition, with basement, furnace, garage and near transportation. In good locality. Have cash for the right place. Quick possession. Please send particulars to Box 5526, Colonist.

OAK BAY—NICE FIVE OR SIX-ROOM bungalow up to $4,500, and another up to $6,000. All cash. B 2131

SIX OR SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE WITHIN 10 or 15 minutes' walk from City Hall. Will pay up to $2,000, $500 cash. Box 5046, Colonist.

WANT FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM BUNGAlow up to $3,500 to $4,500. Close-in Fairfield area. All cash. Want very good six or seven-room house, Oak Bay, up to $800 cash. B 2131

WANT OAK BAY BUNGALOW. REAsonable price. Box 5493, Colonist.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

GOOD BUY—THREE LOTS, CLOSE IN near transportation. Empire 7358

VERY LARGE PARK-LIKE LOT, CUMberland Street, North Quadra, block transportation. Light, water available. $375 cash, on easy terms. Owner, Box 5264, Colonist.

BOOKE BOOKE BOOKE
Properties of All Descriptions Listed
ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENCE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 8th day of April next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a licence in respect of premises being part of a building known as The Coach and Horses Hotel, situate at 1342 Esquimalt Road, Esquimalt, B.C., upon the lands described as Part of Lot 30, of Suburban Lots 27 and 45, Esquimalt District, Plan 2854, and Lot 1, of Suburban Lot 27, Esquimalt District, Plan 2853, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

Dated the 9th day of March, 1943.

Signed.

COACH & HORSES HOTEL COMPANY, 1941, LIMITED.
Per WILLIAM H. SMITH,
Director.

This application is not for a new beer licence, but owing to the acquisition of the present Coach and Horses Hotel by the Dominion Government for war purposes, the Company has been required to move to the premises above described.

Gillespie, Hart & Co., Ltd

OAK BAY

NEW LISTING—

South of the Avenue.
Colonial-Type Residence
Living-Room and Dining-Room.
Lovely Sunroom.
Tiled Sink in Kitchen.
Hardwood Floors.
Upstairs, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom.
Separate Garage.

This house is situated in one of the best parts of Oak Bay, close to schools and transportation, and is in perfect condition.

$6300

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS

Gillespie, Hart & Co.
LIMITED
611 FORT STREET PHONE G 1181

CHOICE HIGH SAANICH BUNGALOW

$950 CASH secures this cedar-siding bungalow. Large living-room, open fireplace, two nice bedrooms, cabinet kitchen, tiled sink, three-piece built-in bath. Garage attached on side. Close to bus line. Balance $25, including interest, monthly. Total price $2950—Immediate possession. You cannot beat it.

SUBURBAN POULTRY FARM

$1900 CASH secures this 13-acre farm with modern four-room bungalow. Large living-room, open fireplace, large kitchen and two nice-sized bedrooms, with three-piece modern bathroom. Separate garage. Modern chicken houses, with cement floors, for 350 birds; also several outbuildings. One would have to see this property to appreciate its value. There is a lot of good standing timber. Immediate possession. Total price $3750

E. E. HEATH
608 YATES ST. PHONE E 8061
Night Phones, B 1418, E 0819

COTTAGE

Three rooms and bath. A very inexpensive place to live. Good soil for garden. Vacant. Price ... $1250

$450

Cash and balance $35 monthly. Seven-room house with full cement basement and furnace. Close to schools and transportation by bus and street car. Price, only ... $2650

INCOME

Property in Oak Bay. Very comfortable quarters for owners and good revenue. Hot-water heat. Appointment only. Price ... $4750

KING REALTY
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Evening: E 7846, B 2727, E 7382

$2500

Spotlessly clean and well-arranged five-room bungalow in the Jubilee district. Basement, furnace. Nice garden lot. Terms: Half cash and balance $30 per month.

OAK BAY

Well-planned six-room modern bungalow of distinctive design. UNSURPASSED SEA VIEW. Early possession. Exclusive district. Highly desirable. Price (cash) ... $8000

Arthur E. Haynes
LIMITED
700 FORT STREET E 3023

WANTED AT ONCE

Small home with 3 or 4 acres. $2,500 cash. Small home, Hillside district. $1,700 cash. Particulars

Phone E 0001

SAANICH REALTY COMPANY
1815 DOUGLAS STREET

PEMBERTON'S
For Real Values

BRAND NEW

STUCCO BUNGALOW with full basement, hot air furnace and garage. Four [illegible] Saanich taxes. High lot. Ready about April 1. $1,500 cash, balance as rent. Full price ... $3400

SIDNEY

A SIX-ROOM HOUSE—Plastered. Water laid on. Three lots. $800 will handle, with easy monthly payments. Price ... $1250

460 ADMIRALS ROAD

SIX ROOMS AND SUN-PORCH — Full basement, cemented; good lot with fine view. Garage. Keys are yours. Cash ... $3000

OAK BAY

FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW—Nice living-room, fireplace, dining-room, oak floors, kitchen, one large bedroom and one smaller. Hot water heating. High elevation. Million-dollar view. $1,000 cash payment, balance like rent. SPECIAL ... $3250

Please Call MR. STEPNEY

OAK BAY
SOUTH OF THE AVENUE

FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW—Lovely living-room, fireplace, dining-room, oak floors, kitchen, two nice bedrooms, basement. Situated on one of the nicest avenues in Oak Bay. Lawn, shrubbery, trees. Exclusive. Price ... $4500

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Pemberton & Son, Ltd.
625 FORT STREET PHONE G 8124

SMALL HOMES SMALL PRICES

S. R. C.

$1400

Four rooms with two-piece bathroom, light and water in house. Kitchen, bedroom and small room to hold single bed, pantry. Large garage, good garden lot. Taxes $10. One block from bus; three-mile circle.

$1500

Four rooms and basement with cement floor, bathroom. Good garden lot, few fruit trees. Bus passes the door. Both these places can stand painting and touch ups.

Saanich Realty COMPANY
Specialists in Saanich Properties
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(Just Below the Hudson's Bay Co.)

Randall's
REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS

APARTMENTS

A small apartment building, close in, near Beacon Hill Park. Hot water heating. The suites are exceptionally good. Large living-room and dining-room have fireplaces. The bedrooms are very large, up-to-date kitchens and bathrooms. The purchaser can have possession of a suite now. This is a real bargain. Clear title. The price ... $6500

Please Call MR. SMITH

A DUPLEX

Fairfield district, close in, off Cook Street. A new stucco duplex of five rooms each. Modern, hardwood floors, etc. Hot water heating, garages. Income $80 per month. This is a good sound investment. Terms. Price ... $6300

Please Call MR. SMITH

GEO. RANDALL
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Oak Bay Specials

$1000 DOWN buys vacant six-room home in good condition. Double garage. Full price ... $2750

$2300 BUYS four-room bungalow with basement and furnace. Fruit trees.

$4250 BUYS neat bungalow. Reception room with fireplace, living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen with gas range, two bedrooms, bathroom. Light floors. Basement, furnace, tubs. Garage on lane. Big lot with rock and oak trees. Vacant.

Alexander Page
1016 BROAD ST. PHONE E 1913
"Open Saturday Afternoons"

NEEDS PAINT

We admit it. This house does need some redecorating and face lifting. But what a Bargain! It's in a secluded part of Oak Bay near the Beach, Golf Course and transportation. Its a five-room Bungalow with hardwood floors and HOT-WATER HEAT. Large lot with distinct possibilities, and to close out an estate we are authorized to sell for only $4,950. Remember, HOT-WATER HEAT. Ker & Stephenson Ltd., 1121 Government Street. G 4127.

SAANICH

Comfortable five-roomed house, open fireplace in living-room, large bright kitchen, three-piece bathroom, all new plumbing, concrete foundation, full basement; chicken house, garage, almost ½ acre good garden soil. Quick possession ... $2100

ESQUIMALT

Really nice bungalow, five rooms; living-room with fireplace, oak floor; three bedrooms, well-fitted kitchen, full basement, garage, furnace. In first-class condition inside and out. Nice garden. Owner owned ... $3500

Heisterman, Forman & CO.
600 VIEW STREET

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.

SPECIAL

THIS SUPERIOR RESIDENCE CONtaining five bedrooms, three bathrooms, delightful reception rooms. Everything [illegible] It stands in one of the most beautiful gardens in Victoria. We have photos in our office and will appreciate intending purchasers calling here and not phoning. SPECIAL PRICE ... $14,750

OAK BAY

SUPERIOR FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNgalow. Special mahogany floors and doors throughout. The living and dining-rooms are very attractive. Large open fire, Venetian blinds, two spacious bedrooms. Economical hot water heating system. Lawn and vegetable garden. Admirably suited for elderly couple (no steps). EXCLUSIVE LISTING. TERMS AT ... $5850

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EIGHT ROOMS — LARGE LIVINGroom and dining-room, sunroom, kitchen, one bedroom on main floor, three bedrooms up, three-piece bathroom. Cement basement, good furnace. This property is in excellent condition. EARLY POSSESSION. ON TERMS ... $3500

WALKING DISTANCE

SIX-ROOM SEMI-BUNGALOW IN EXcellent condition. Three bedrooms. Cement basement, piped furnace, garage. Fruit trees. Owner occupied ... $3150

COTTAGE

THREE ROOMS, SERVICE ROOM, three-piece bathroom, open fireplace in living-room. Basement, garage and outbuildings. SNAP ... $1400

SEAFRONT

1½ ACRES, BEAUTIFULLY TREED. Safe beach, good road, lovely homesite or good investment ... $750

THREE ACRES also at ... $1500

COLES, HOWELL & CO., LTD.
608 VIEW STREET PHONE G 1638

For ACTION, List With

Johnston's

GORGE

$1600 CASH GIVES EARLY POSSESSION of new modern five-room stucco bungalow with fireplace, hardwood floors throughout. Pembroke bath, tile sink, attached garage. A well-planned roomy house ... $3700

APARTMENT INVESTMENT

$7200—FOUR MODERN SUITES of four rooms and three-piece bathroom each. Separate entrances. Individual garages and store rooms. Hot water heating. All in A 1 condition. Walking distance to city centre. Will consider modern bungalow as part payment, or sell on terms.

MARIGOLD

$1100 CASH HANDLES VERY NEAT FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW with fireplace, two-piece bathroom, separate garage. TWO CHOICE LOTS with fruit trees and garden. Near bus. Owner occupied. All recently decorated. Possession thirty days. Price ... $2300

Johnston & Co., Ltd.
1814 BROAD STREET E 8241, E 8242

Mt. Tolmie

A WONDERFUL FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW
A Well-Built Home

Hot Water Heat

A good lot, outside garage, kitchen, dining-room, bathroom, two bedrooms, hall, living-room with hardwood floor and lovely fireplace. A setting that will please one that wants very few steps.

National Housing
About $1,000 Cash and $28.50 Per Month Will Handle

$4100

P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd.
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$1500 CASH, $1,700 TERMS—Five-roomed bungalow situated in Saanich, on bus line, three miles from City Hall. House contains living-room, three bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen and pantry, basement and furnace. Standing on quarter acre with garage, chicken house and fruit trees.

$2600—Situated in city on high lot between two car lines and walking distance from shopping centre. Nice five-room bungalow containing living-room, three bedrooms, three-piece bathroom and large modern kitchen with breakfast nook. Price includes inlaid linoleum in kitchen. Taxes only $30. Basement with woodlift. This is a really good buy.

See A. LANCASTER

BROWN BROS., LIMITED
216 Pemberton Bldg. Phone E 1183

Oak Bay, Seafront

Cost to owner $12,000. Recently built, up-to-date, with view of mountains and sea from practically every room in the house. Entrance hall; living-room, 16 x 27, plate-glass view windows; hardwood flooring; open fireplace; dining-room, 18 x 14. Most up-to-date kitchen and plumbing. Nice den or bedroom with bathroom downstairs. Two very large bedrooms, and bathroom upstairs. Chinaman's room. Oil-O-Matic hot water heating, garage in basement. We can deliver this house for ... $9000

Henley, Hepburn & Co.
LIMITED
721 FORT ST. PHONE E 4117

TOP OF THE WORLD

Although commanding a panoramic view of the sea, mountains and bays, this well-built Oak Bay home is quite secluded. There are seven rooms, including an attractive living-room, dining-room and four bedrooms, each with its own view. Furnace in basement. Separate garage. Large lot and low taxes. Price ... $7500

MARA, BATE & CO., LTD.
612 FORT ST. PHONE E 7124

Randall's

Walking Distance
And Away From the Noisy Traffic

This seven-room house has a large living-room, very large dining-room, good-sized kitchen with pantry and scullery and lots of cupboards, two nice bedrooms and bathroom downstairs, one finished bedroom and one roughed-in upstairs. Full basement with new furnace and hot water heater. All floors are newly sanded. A large supply of coal and wood, garden tools, combination wood, coal and gas range, congoleum rug, Venetian blinds and several other items not listed. Including taxes paid for 1943 and phone. Good garden and lawn fenced. Immediate possession. The price, complete, is ... $3750

With Only $2,000 Cash
Please Ask for MR. TULLY

OAK BAY

Close to Foul Bay Road and Fort Street, five-room bungalow, basement, garage, good garden, low taxes. Price ... $2600

See MR. ROBERTSON

GORGE

Near park, bus and car. Five-room bungalow, full basement, furnace and garage. Possession April 1. Price, on terms ... $2700

See MR. ROBERTSON

George Randall
1302 DOUGLAS ST. PHONE G 8109

2 ACRES

WITH LARGE HOME DIVIDED INTO FOUR APARTMENTS. Revenue $70 per month. No finer location for additional buildings in Victoria.

WATERFRONT

300 ACRES UP-ISLAND with modern nine-room home. Hot water heated. Hot and cold water in rooms. Partly cleared. Two beautiful bays on property, near house. Best of fishing and hunting. Price ... $10,000

EXCHANGE

FINE SEVEN-ROOM HOME in perfect condition. Two complete sets of plumbing. Nicely located, near car. Want five-room bungalow in exchange. Must be in good condition.

Kindly Ask for MR. FIELDS

MEHAREY & CO.
LIMITED
622 VIEW STREET PHONE E 1187

$1200 CASH

NINE-ROOM HOUSE—FAIRFIELD

Four rooms on ground floor with hardwood floors; also screened porch. Modern kitchen. Hot water heating. Full cement basement. Nice garden lot with fruit trees. An ideal family residence. Possession April 1. Full price (on terms) ... $3750

OAK BAY

2619 CAVENDISH AVENUE

Eight handsome rooms and large heated glassed-in sleeping porch which has ocean view. Exceptionally fine oak floors in large reception rooms. Tiled bathroom. Automatic coal stoker. Two-piece lavatory on ground floor. Lot 80 x 150, nicely treed.

$6900

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS

Alex. G. Hill & Co.
414 CENTRAL BLDG. PHONE G 8141

VICTORIA REALTY
1322 GOVERNMENT STREET
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"The Boy From Maine"

By KATHARINE BRUSH

CHAPTER XLVII

He could see that she didn't believe him, and her eyes still had that knowing glint in them, and he laughed outright and said: "What an evil-minded child it is, to be sure!"

"I don't care," said Bonnie. "I bet it don't look right there, any more'n here. I bet you're crazy about her, and that's why you went to see her."

"That could be it," Hobey said. "But that wouldn't have to be it. We're old friends, remember. I used to find shells for her, and take her fishing, and row her around in the cove, and all. You're probably too young to remember back that far, but that was the way it was."

"I remember it," Bonnie said—grimly, for some reason.

She had a handful of pebbles, and now she flung them at the water and dusted her hand off with the other hand. "She don't come here much any more," she said. "Her husband's awful good lookin', ain't he," Bonnie added abruptly; and again she grew up, and was wise in her eyes, and greedy in her eyes. "Some day I'm going to get me a man like that," she said. "As handsome as that. And as big."

"I'm betting on you," Hobey said, as gravely as he could. Then he made one amendment. "But richer, don't you think?"

"You mean he ain't rich?"

"I believe not very. But then—you can't have everything."

"She's rich enough, herself," Bonnie said. "She's got everything anybody could want. I wish I was her. Ever since I been a little girl, I've wished I could be just like her, and have everything she's got. I even used to try to walk like her, and talk like she does . . . I can do it, too," said Bonnie unexpectedly; and she stood up. "Want to see me do it? All right, watch. I'm Rosalie."

She retreated down the beach a little way, and she came walking back. "This is from last Summer, how she was," she said, as an aside. It was exactly Rosalie's sauntering, graceful walk; and when Bonnie spoke again it was exactly Rosalie's voice, and accent, and whole manner. "Oh, now, Bailey!" she said. "But darling—you're not really going fishing all day—not again! My sweet, there won't be anything left in the sea at all, if this doesn't stop."

She sank down on the rock, and was Bonnie again. "That's how she does," she said.

Hobey was sitting bolt upright now. He had been lolling at ease when this performance started. "But that's good!" he sadi incredulously. "Why, that's . . . Well, I'll be damned! You've got her absolutely perfect!"

"I told you," Bonnie said.

"But that's quite a trick—to be able to take people off like that. Can you do anybody else? Let's see you do somebody else."

"Sure I can," said Bonnie calmly. "I can do anybody I ever seen—I mean saw."

She could, too. She gave him several demonstrations. His sister Mary, the idiot Joe, and Bonnie's own father, Owen Roberts, whom Hobey remembered as the island drunk and who apparently still was.

"And now I'll do you," Bonnie said, and she did him, walking up from the fishhouse with an invisible suitcase.

"That tops it," Hobey said. "Kid, you're terrific! Why you ought—" He checked himself, and just in time. "You ought to be very proud," he continued lamely, ad libbing. Because it would have been the wildest folly to have told her that she ought to do something with a talent like that—that she could make a living at it. This had been his impulse, and this was still his hunch, but maybe he was wrong about it—very likely he was crazy—and in any case he knew that the minute he said any such encouraging thing, it would be up to him. He would be stuck with it. "So keep your trap shut, wil you?" he said to himself sternly. "Do you want to have this baby on your hands? Don't be a fool."

"Which one did you like best?" Bonnie was asking him.

"Which imitation? The one of Rosalie, I think."

"You ought to see me do it in her clothes," Bonnie said matter-of-factly.

"In her clothes? Oh, you mean she gives you things . . ."

"I don't mean that," said Bonnie. She looked sly again. "I'll tell you something," she said, "if you won't tell on me. I know a way to get in her house, and I go there sometimes by myself, and dress up in her clothes, and pretend I live there and I'm her. But don't tell anybody."

Hobey thought of the house as it must be—shuttered and dim and ghostly—and Bonnie in it all alone, playing Rosalie for the dusty mirrors. It was an eerie vision, curiously interesting. He said, "You do?"

"She got a lot of clothes she leaves there," Bonnie said. "Summer clothes. I suppose she thinks they ain't good enough to wear any place but here—anyway, there they are. There's a whole closet full of 'em, hangin', and then there's a lot of stuff in the bureau drawers in her room—silk underclothes, and all like that. I wear them, too, when I dress up. They feel lovely on—silk underclothes do. And there's an evening dress, with a low neck to it and no sleeves. You ought to see me in that," Bonnie said, a little breathless with the memory.

"You'd look wonderful. I can imagine."

Bonine went back to the starting point. "But don't tell on me, will you?"

"Of course I won't."

"I don't take nothin' away," Bonnie assured him quickly, as though he had accused her. She grew truculent. "So what's the harm if I go there sometimes?"

"No harm at all. Who said there was? Don't be such a little spitfire."

"I don't ever take nothin' that don't belong to me," Bonnie insisted stolidly.

"Naturally not," said Hobey, wondering just what it was she had taken. It was certainly something, from her manner. He looked deliberately at the sea, and not at her, and in a minute he saw her draw her skirt over her knees a little lower—as well she might. A petal of pink satin edged with real lace had been showing.

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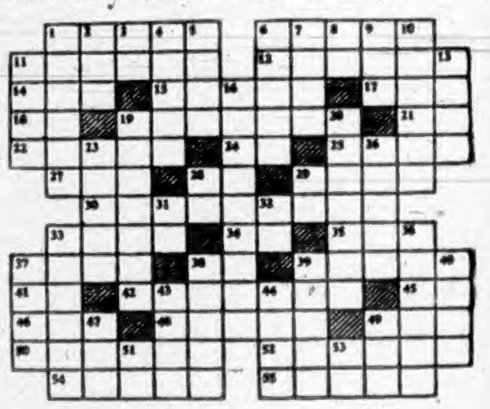
Engineers said this morning that only an unexpected rise in temperature would renew the threat, although they are keeping a close check on flood and weather conditions.

Officials said they had abandoned all ideas of dynamiting the jam, due to the quantity that would be needed to blast the half-mile-wide harbor entrance free of ice.

MISSING WOMAN FOUND

HOPE, B.C., March 11 (CP).—Mrs. A. K. Stewart, eighty-three, for whom a search has been conducted since she disappeared two days ago, was found today wandering in dazed condition several miles from her home. Apparently she had become lost on her way home and was too weak to give an account of her wanderings.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

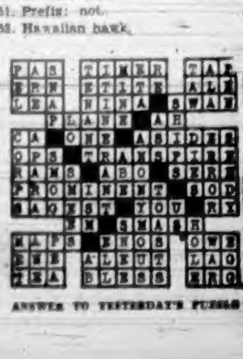


ACROSS

1. A remarkable feat.
6. Propelled a boat with long stick.
11. One who runs away to be married.
12. Young lion.
14. Wooden pin.
15. Cavity.
17. A fish.
18. Babylonian god of waters.
19. Foils for comedians (slang).
21. Prefix: double.
22. Levels.
24. Exists.
25. In Turkey, a flag.
27. Greek letter.
28. While.
29. Spirit.
30. Guilelessly.
33. Combining form: spot.
34. Chinese measure.
35. Name suffix.
37. Part of a hammer.
38. To take place.
39. Withers.
41. Comparative ending.
42. Vegetation (pl.).
45. French article.
46. Siamese measure.
48. To pour forth.
49. Own (scot.).
50. Elder member of firm.
52. Corrected.
54. Province in North Argentina.
55. Hindu peasants.

DOWN

1. To divide, as threads.
2. To dress up.
3. Aloft.
4. Birds' homes.
5. Three.
6. Inserts a stopper.
7. River in France.
8. Behold!
9. Heavy East Indian wood.
10. To kill.
11. Fencing sword.
13. To make orderly.
16. Without a sound.
19. Trapping.
20. Issues forth.
23. Russian storehouse.
26. A covering.
28. Indian mulberry.
29. Plural ending.
31. Symbol for thallium.
32. Chinese river.
33. A connected succession.
36. Depends.
37. Writing implement (pl.).
38. A district of Irak.
39. Worn threadbare.
40. To dispatch.
43. Brawl.
44. One who brings court action.
47. Character in Spenser's "Fairie Queen."
49. Siamese coin.
51. Prefix: not.
53. Hawaiian hawk.



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Over 2,000 Nazi Factories Wrecked

More Than 1,000,000 People Homeless As Result of Allied Raids on Europe

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—Sir Archibald Sinclair, Air Secretary, said today that the R.A.F.'s ceaseless bombing offensive which is showering Germany and the occupied countries with fire and explosives at the rate of more than 10,000 tons a month has wrecked more than 2,000 German factories.

Sir Archibald, speaking in the House of Commons in representing the air estimates, estimated that the R.A.F. smash at Germany had left more than 1,000,000 Germans homeless.

Declaring that photographic reconnaissance showed that the raid on Essen, home of the Krupp Arsenals, on the night of March 5-6 "probably was the heaviest blow struck at German war industry in the whole of the bomber offensive." Sir Archibald disclosed that already 4,000 tons of bombs have been dropped on the Reich this month.

STEEL OUTPUT HIT SEVERELY

The devastation at Essen, he said, was comparable only to that caused at Cologne last May in the first of the R.A.F.'s 1,000-bomber raids. Direct damage to steelworks in the Ruhr and Saar, he declared, had cut 1,250,000 tons from Germany's annual steel-making capacity.

Damage to the Phillips radio works at Eindhoven, Holland, cost the Germans the loss of millions of radio tubes annually, a critical loss in modern warfare, he added.

The 4,000 tons of bombs dropped in the rising offensive in March compared with 10,000 tons dropped in the short month of February, greatest month yet for the R.A.F., when 1,000 tons of bombs were dropped on three different nights.

Promising even greater exertions by the R.A.F., Sir Archibald added a statement which seemed an indirect answer to criticism of the United States Army Air Force's day bombing policy.

"The Americans are lion-hearted, skilful fighters," he said. "Their methods are a complement to our own. They are precious and welcome Allies. The more American bombers come to take part in the air offensive, the better we shall be pleased and the sooner the malignant power of Germany will be broken."

GERMAN PLANES SHOT DOWN

Sir Archibald also informed the House that more than 10 per cent of German aircraft which in the last three months attempted weak reprisals for R.A.F. bombings had been shot down. Such a loss rate is generally considered almost prohibitive for an attacking air force.

He said forty-six of 392 enemy planes which crossed the British coast in daylight during the last three months were definitely destroyed. Twenty-six of 240 which crossed at night were knocked down.

The Air Minister said this was nearly three times the rate of loss of British aircraft attacking Hitler's Europe.

The R.A.F. Bomber Command's "pulverizing offensive" had caused the Germans to switch a not unimportant proportion of their plane-building capacity from bombers to fighters, the Air Secretary declared.

From the beginning of the Battle of El Alamein in Egypt on October 23, to the end of February, 1,075 enemy aircraft have been captured in Egypt and Libya besides 402 destroyed in combat, he added.

British and American Air Forces in Northwest Africa have destroyed an additional 767 enemy planes against losses of 392, of which 171 were R.A.F. craft, he said. Presumably, although he did not say so, the remaining 221 were largely American.

TYPHOONS TAKE GOOD TOLL

Sir Archibald said that one squadron of Typhoons engaged in front-line defence of the British coast had destroyed thirteen German planes in January and February.

Looking to the future, the Air Secretary hinted at special measures being taken to combat U-boats and to support troops which will make an eventual assault on the Continent.

It is intended, he said, to improve air cover for Atlantic convoys until there is no time of the day or night when plane protection will not be provided for North Atlantic routes.

He disclosed the R.A.F. has formed a number of special tank-buster and fighter-bomber squadrons to give close support to troops.

Remarking on the rapid expansion of the R.A.F.'s Coastal Command which, during the last year, has been equipped with planes of longer range and greater bomb-carrying capacity, Sir Archibald said:

"Experience has shown that air cover is a major factor in defeating the U-boat and we are determined to improve it."

Thick air patrols covering the North African invasion were so active, he said, that the convoy was not even sighted by a submarine so far as is known.

BOMBERS WORK ON SEA ROUTES

"Wellingtons, Halifaxes, Fortresses and Liberators now are working on our sea routes and maintaining the offensive against German submarines," he said. "New weapons and many strange contrivances have ripened to the point of production and are being used to increase the effectiveness to the patrol of our sea routes from the air, and our attacks upon U-boats.

"The grim battle with U-boats demands shrewd planning, meticulous analysis of operational results and no resting in scientific inventiveness. Better bombs and depth charges and new navigational and radio aids have been introduced."

Referring to offensive operations from Britain, the Air Secretary said the main object of all operations has been to intervene effectively in the land struggle in the East and take as much weight as possible off the Russians.

"Fighter Command sweeps and escorted daylight bomber raids have been an important part of this policy," he said. "No longer can the Germans afford a parity of loss with the Allied air forces. They need to conserve their strength.

"Accordingly, it is necessary to sting them into action by bombing of sensitive targets. In these offensive sweeps partly in infliction of casualties—and much more besides—has been achieved by our splendid pilots—remarkable proof of the superiority of their tactics, training and equipment over the enemy."

ENEMY LOSSES ARE GREATER

He said German fighters and guns had destroyed 600 fighters, but 645 enemy planes had been brought down over France and Britain.

"In the last four months of 1942 bombers and fighters operating from this country destroyed or seriously damaged 100 locomotives, and the locomotive shortage in Germany and the occupied countries is acute," he said.

"The situation in Northern France is particularly serious—so serious that the Germans have withdrawn all locomotives from areas of the south of France and have even returned to Northeastern France locomotives previously requisitioned for use in Germany. We know shortage of locomotives has hampered movements of the German armies in Russia."

He added that Allied bombs have improved and will continue to improve. Thousand-bomber raids, thousand-ton raids, devastation in a long roll of German cities and heavy daylight attacks on the heart of Germany and Italy marked the past year as a period of successful exploitation and progress.

KRUPPS WORKS BADLY DAMAGED

In assessing the Essen attacks on the night of March 5-6—a raid in which R.C.A.F. planes took a large part—Sir Archibald said photographs showed that thirteen main buildings of the Krupps munition works alone were destroyed or severely damaged. There was a direct hit on the Essen power station. Damage to gas works extended over a three and one-half-acre area. Thirty thousand people were homeless in Essen while additional thousands were rendered temporarily homeless.

Elsewhere, he said, large-scale destruction of Germany's industrial centres was being continued.

Devastation grows—Wilhelmshaven, 118 acres including utter destruction of the arsenal; Rostock, 130 acres; Mainz, 135 acres; Lubeck, 200 acres; Karlsruhe, 260 acres; Duesseldorf, 380 acres; Cologne, 600 acres.

Altogether, he summed up, more than 1,000,000 people had been rendered homeless by Bomber Command attack, not counting the large number of evacuees, moved for fear of air attack.

In Italy, where two-thirds of the total industrial production is centred at Milan, Turin and Genoa, each of these cities had been attacked with heavy damage, he said.

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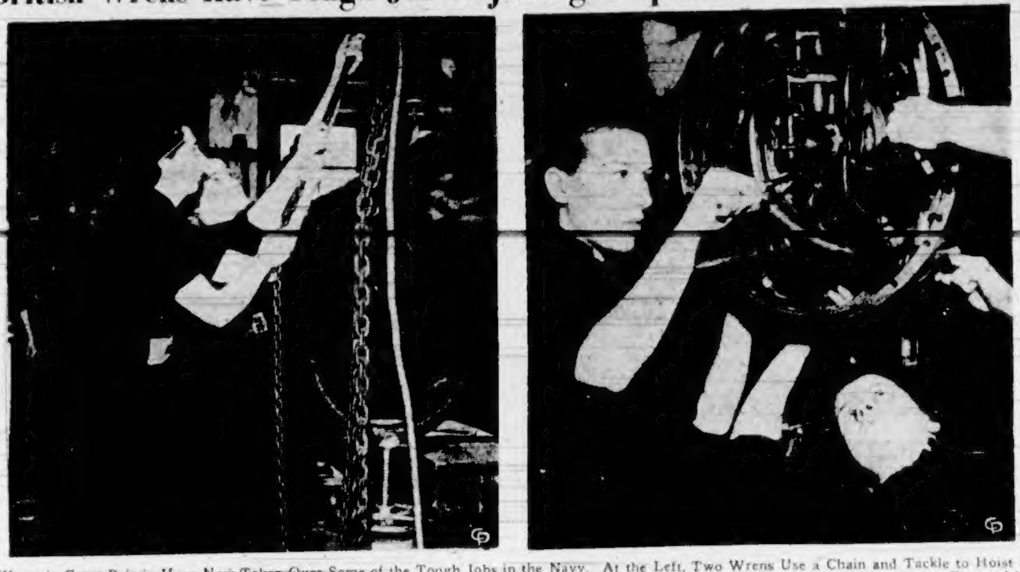
Pioneer Skipper Dies

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Capt. Duncan Mackenzie, eighty, pioneer coastwise skipper and former partner of the shipping firm of Mackenzie Brothers, died in hospital yesterday. The firm, which operated between Vancouver and Alaska, was taken over in 1910 by Grand Trunk Railways. Captain Mackenzie became master on various C.N.S.S. vessels on this Coast and later was made special pilot for all the line's deep-sea vessels entering this port.

British Wrens Have Tough Job Adjusting Torpedoes



Wrens in Great Britain Have Now Taken Over Some of the Tough Jobs in the Navy. At the Left, Two Wrens Use a Chain and Tackle to Hoist a Torpedo After They Have Overhauled It. At the Right, Skillful Wren Hands Make Adjustments on the Engine of a Torpedo. All Are Engaged in Intensive Training to Become Efficient Torpedomen Mechanics.

Steel Plant Committee Man Coming

Alderman Price to Visit City Today

VANCOUVER, March 11 (CP).—Alderman Jack Price, chairman of the civic steel committee, will take to Victoria with him tomorrow for presentation to the Legislative mining committee a resolution calling on Munitions Minister Howe to clarify the Federal Government's attitude toward establishment of a steel industry on this Coast.

THREE MAIN QUESTIONS ASKED

Mr. Price will ask the committee to endorse the resolution, which asks:

1. Would backers of the proposed industry receive a licence to establish such a business if they applied to the director of licensing of the Prices Board?

2. If so, would Mr. Howe instruct his commodity controllers to grant other necessary permits for construction of a factory and the use of steel, machinery and equipment?

3. Would Mr. Howe facilitate obtaining the necessary import permits for equipment from the War Production Board and other United States authorities?

FOLLOWS LETTER TO PREMIER

Members of the civic steel committee drew up and endorsed the resolution after hearing a letter which Mr. Howe wrote Premier Hart in which the Minister of Munitions stated "provision of finished steel for all purposes is no longer a problem in Canada."

Mr. Howe added the Federal Government would not allocate Federal funds to assist new steel production. The resolution informs him no money is sought by local interests concerned with the project.

Several members expressed the opinion that Mr. Howe's statement that no more finished steel was needed meant the proposal would not receive Government approval.

House of Lords Debates Matter Of Air Policy

Various Methods of Procedure Suggested

LONDON, March 11 (CP).—The Empire should be linked by air and this branch of aviation should be separated from the Air Ministry, the Marquess of Londonderry, former Air Secretary, said in the House of Lords today.

No monopoly should be given any aviation company, he added, but the companies should know the Government policy so they could make plans and prepare for airplane production.

(In the House of Commons, Air Secretary Sir Archibald Sinclair announced creation of an R.A.F. Transport Command, expected to build for Britain a round-the-world air system.)

"It is highly important that countries like America should be fully aware of our plans so there will be no misunderstanding," Lord Londonderry said.

Lord Davies, Liberal, suggested that the United Nations should constitute themselves into an international authority charged with the duty of drafting a code of regulations governing the employment of aircraft and controlling an air police force to ensure that this code be respected and upheld.

Earl Stanhope, Conservative, asked how it was proposed to prevent Germany building aircraft nominally for civilian purposes, but actually far better fitted as heavy bombers.

DISAGREES WITH POLICE PROPOSAL

"I entirely disagree with the proposal for an international police," he said.

There rather should be a system of international licence, he said. There would have to be control of aircraft, civil and military, throughout the whole of Europe and it would have to be controlled by the three leading powers, Britain, the United States and Russia. He thought there would have to be another commission for North America upon which Britain should not sit, but Canada would.

Replying for the Government, Viscount Cranborne, Lord Privy Seal, said civil aviation is receiving [illegible] of the Government, but a detailed declaration of policy given unilaterally would be of no value unless agreed to by other nations."

Land Rescued Crewmen

BUENOS AIRES, March 11 (AP).—The sinking of the United States freighter Staghound by three torpedoes in the South Atlantic and the rescue of fifty-nine crewmen and twenty-five members of the armed forces were disclosed tonight in an Argentine Foreign Office announcement.

The Argentine Embassy in Brazil informed the Foreign Office that the Argentine freighter Rio Colorado had picked up the eighty-four men and landed them at Rio de Janeiro on March 9.

After office hours, Alf and Bert lingered in idle chat. Then, with a sudden glance at his watch, Alf grabbed his hat.

"I must rush off!" he exclaimed. "I've got an appointment."

"Who's the girl?" chaffed Bert. "Is it as important as all that?"

"It is—and it's no girl. It's a fellow to whom I owe a fiver."

"Where are you meeting him?"

"Meeting him nothing! He's coming here!"

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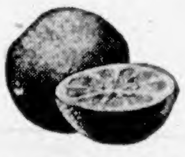

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THERE'S ECONOMY IN "BAY" QUALITY . . .

Quality Furniture Essentials

For Your Baby's Nursery

Make your little newcomer's world a wonderful, comfy paradise with fine quality Nursery Furniture. We at "The Bay" know exactly how precious your "pink-toed" cherub is, that's why you'll find our salespeople trained to know his exact needs for comfort and health.

A FIRST ESSENTIAL . . .
A WELL-CONSTRUCTED

Baby Crib

As Illustrated—Size 2.0 x 4.0 29.50

Have a sturdy crib with a drop side . . . and look for durable construction like the one illustrated . . . made of cream-enamelled Eastern hardwood, stencilled in adorable nursery motifs. Equipped with comfortable and reliable steel Spring. Plan right now to own one, and make it a point to see our complete selection.

DROP-SIDE EASTERN HARDWOOD CRIB

Equip your nursery with all the comfort your precious baby deserves. These lovely cream-enamelled or waxed birch cribs are sturdily constructed and well finished. Amusing nursery patterns adorn the headboard. Size 2.6 x 4.6 25.00

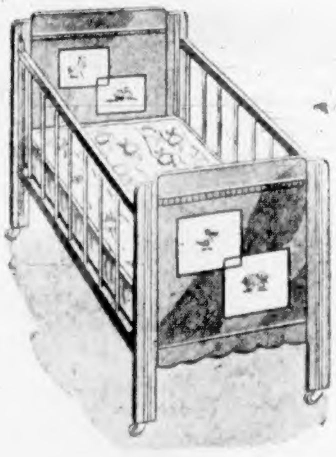
WALNUT-FINISH DROP-SIDE INFANT'S CRIB

If you are wondering what type of crib you will need, see these comfy, durable, metal ones. You'll approve of their sturdy construction and good-looking walnut finish . . . and they come complete with soft mattress and steel spring. Each 19.50

WITH METAL TRAY AND FOOTREST

High Chairs 5.95

Another essential for the new edition to your family is a well-constructed high chair. These are Eastern hardwood, with a serviceable metal tray and handy footrest. Their soft natural tone will blend with any room coloring.



NATURAL FINISHED EASTERN HARDWOOD HIGH CHAIRS

Well constructed and sturdy to prevent them from tipping with wooden tray and fixed footrest. Made of eastern hardwood in attractive natural finish. Each 3.95

Other High Chairs, from $7.50 to $18.50

De Luxe Baby Pram

Gendron Gondola shape carriages, constructed of all steel, with welded seams and leatherette upholstery. Has two-wheel foot break and leather snubber straps. Large "no-draft" hood lined with leatherette and faced with braid. Apron piped and lined, and safety waist strap. Handy utility pocket. Available in Britannia Blue and Wallis Blue. Each $45

Bed Folder

WITH STEEL SCISSOR FRAME

Here's a practical folding carriage that's easy and light to push. Leatherette upholstered and well padded, with an adjustable three-position back and footrest. Reversible handle, double action footbrake and storm cover make it ideal for a stroller later on. In navy blue, maroon or grey. A few with springs 29.50

We have carefully collected everything your baby needs, and are as proud of our BABY SHOP as you are of your BABY! You'll find a complete assortment, with quality our most important consideration. Your new baby deserves the best.

Baby Shop, Second Floor at THE BAY

STORE HOURS:
Daily—9 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.
Wednesday—9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

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